



Excellence — brilliant like a star,  
The highest standard one can achieve,  
To strive for it is to be special.  
Joseph Ragusa



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Mr. Robert Leder Principal

"The excellence of knowledge is, that wisdom gives."  
Ecclesiastes, Chap. 7 Verse 12



#### ON EXCELLENCE: A PARABLE

An old philosopher slept under a tree cloaked in a fine silk robe. He was awakened by a Prince accompanied by his young servant. "That is a fine robe you have there old man" said the Prince; "it would rest well on my royal shoulders." The philosopher replied "I will give my robe to the person who can answer this question: 'What is excellence?'"

The Prince remained deep in thought for a long while. Finally, he gave this response: "Excellence is when a number of people attempt the same task and one person performs better than all the rest. Excellence is proving that you are superior to others."

The old man looked sadly disappointed. "But how can this be?" he said. "In asserting our superiority over others, we diminish the stature of our fellow man and this is harmful. Excellence cannot be a destructive things."

Just then, the Prince's poor young servant spoke up: "Sir, excellence is very much like that tree you are sitting under. Every day it is a bit taller than it was the day before. Each day it gives more fruit than it gave the day before. Excellence is growth — and we gain excellence not in surpassing others, but only in surpassing ourselves."

The old man removed his robe and placed it on the young boy's shoulders. "Wear your garment proudly" he said, "for you have been found worthy where a Prince was found wanting."

Robert Leder





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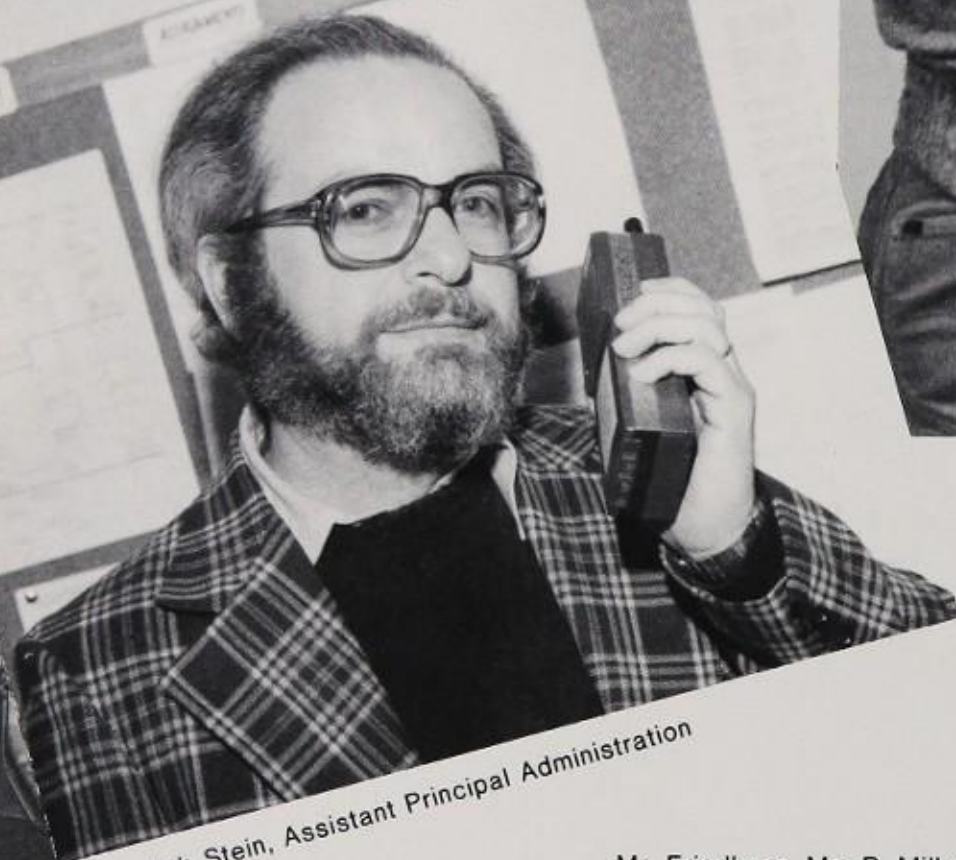
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Congratulations, Mr. Leder! — we're so pleased to have you as our Principal.





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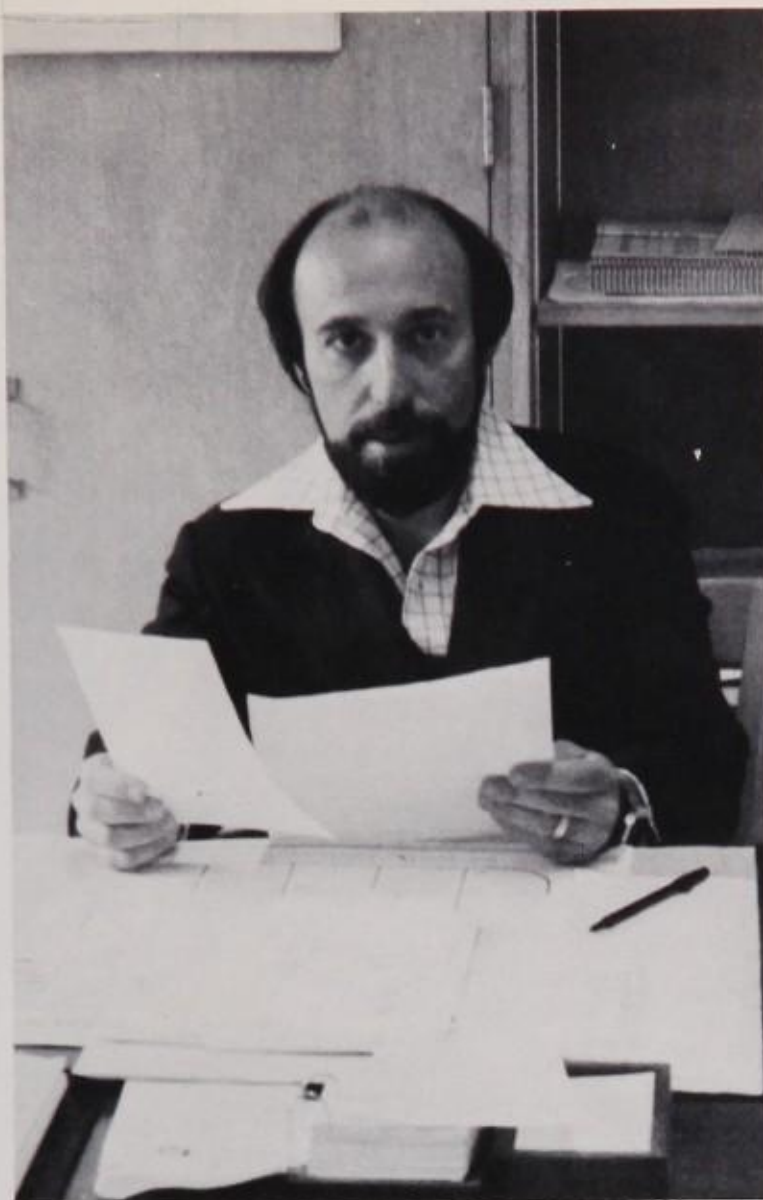
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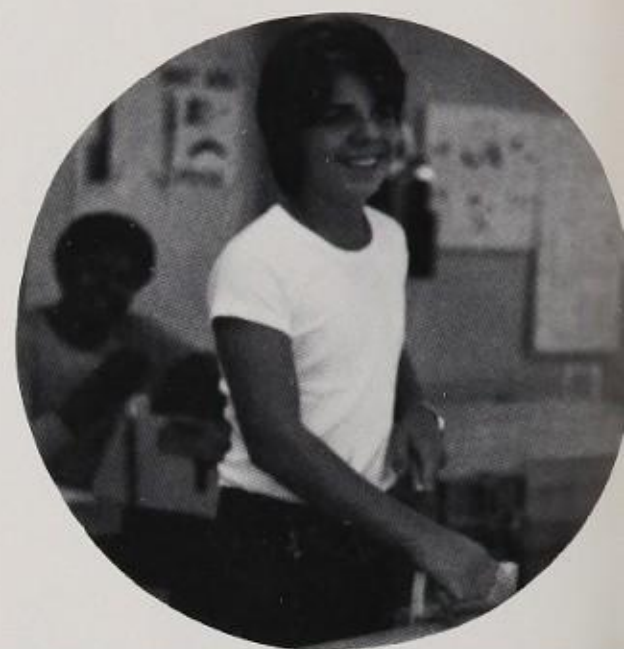
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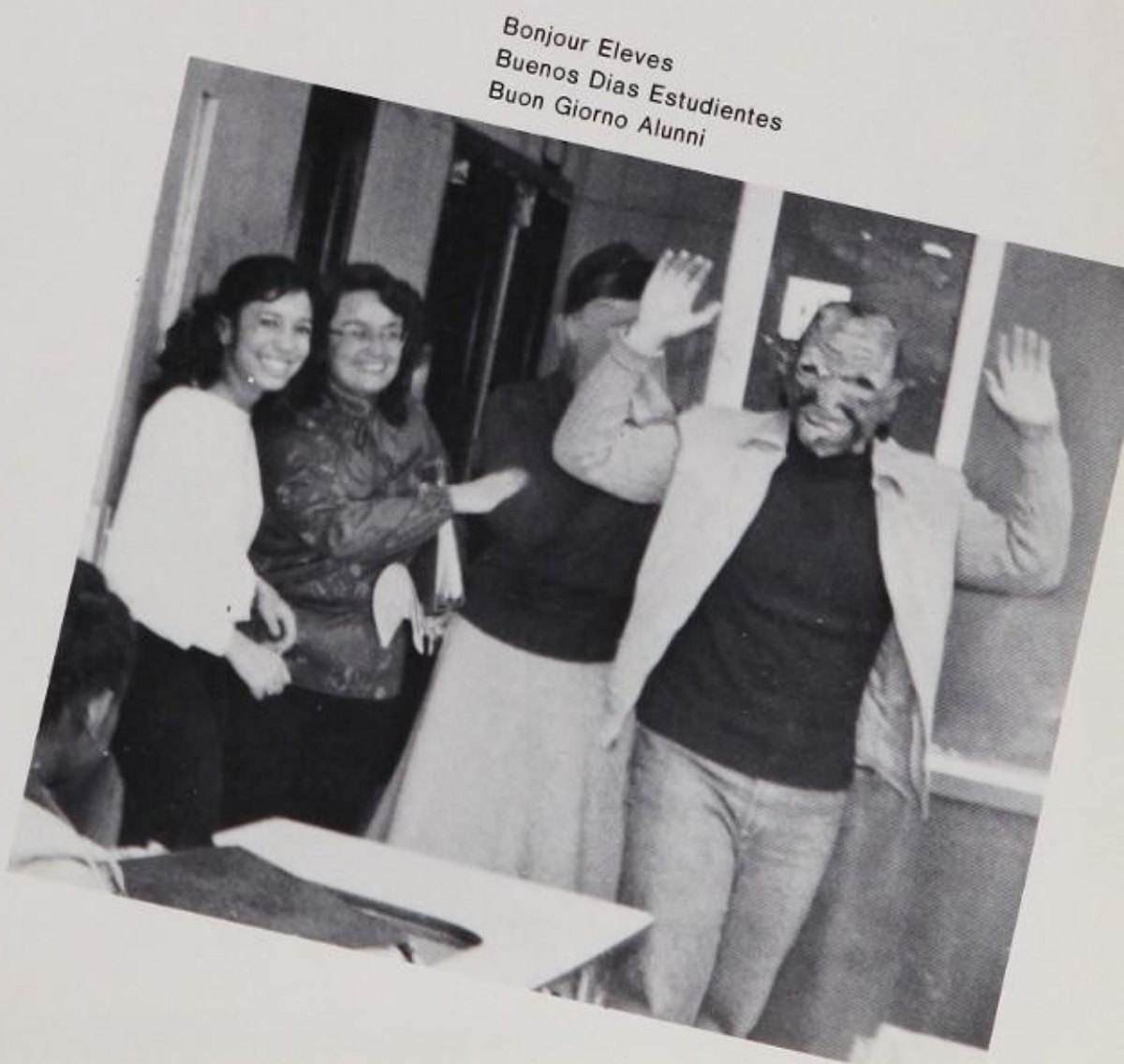
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F. Apollo



Ms. Duffy, Mr. Littman, Ms. Cruz, Ms. Fronk — coordinator



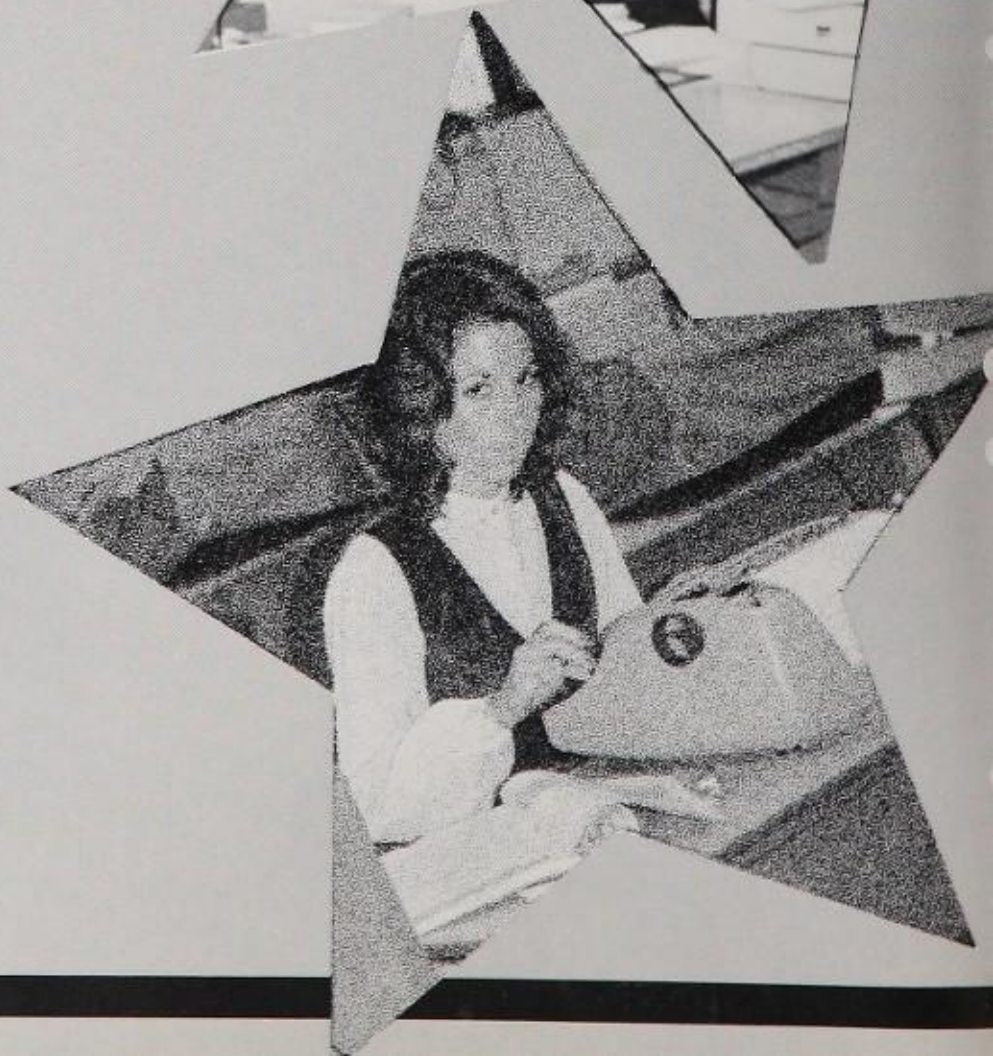
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Buenos Dias Estudiantes  
Buon Giorno Alunni





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Ms. S. Ingeman Coordinator





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Ms. Broadwell, Ms. Walsh

# Librarians



## English



Ms. Novey



Ms. Beer



Ms. Ziefert



Ms. Pelosi, Mr. Birtz



Mr. Flynn, Ms. Preston,



Tangible words, personifying the sheet of paper  
Realism captured in a memorable phrase.  
Apropos analogies enhance an idea  
Life's passion expressed in myriad ways.

By Desiree Ayala

A. Landi



# art



Jose Robles

Vibrant water colors, painting idealistic imagery,  
Stroke the canvas in search of dreams  
Cray Pas blend to make the perfect color,  
Abstract can be what it seems.

Ms. Marantz, Mr. Cirillo, Coordinator



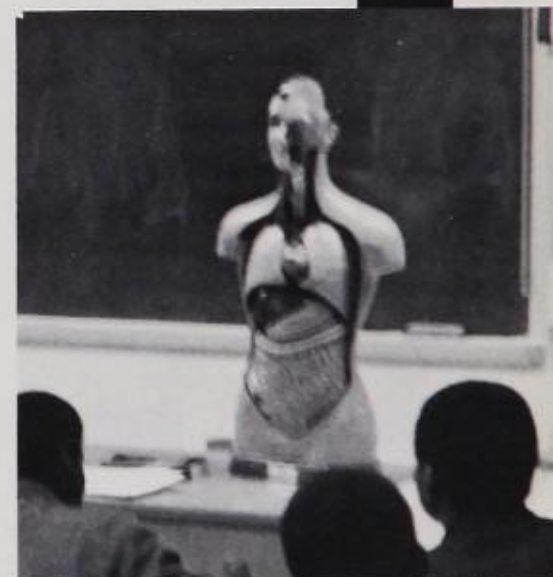




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# Science

## Fine Arts



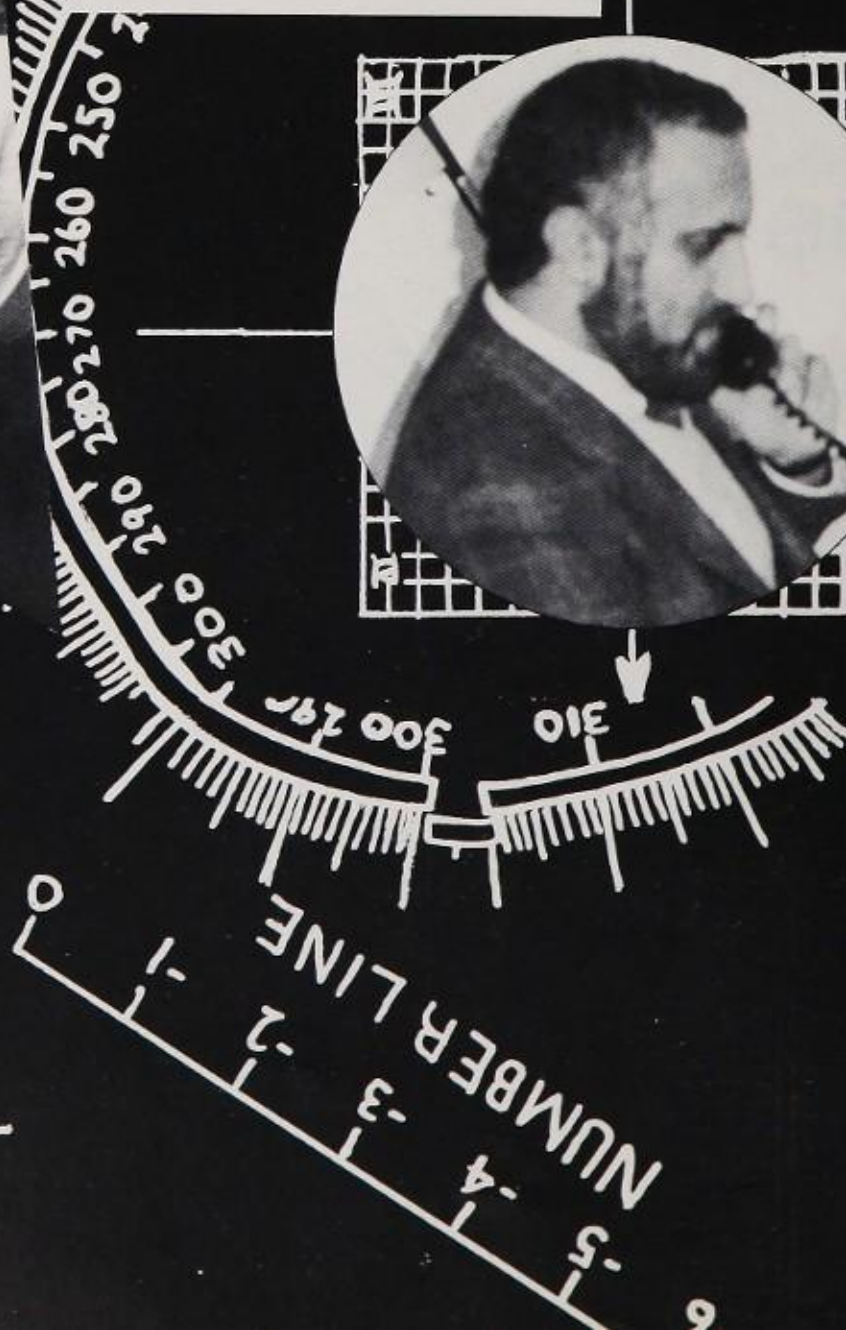




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 Bottom: Mr. Harrison, Mr. Heizler, Mr. M. Weinstein



# Math







Mr. Hennessy

Mr. DeStefano, Chairman



Mr. Mulvey

# Social Studies

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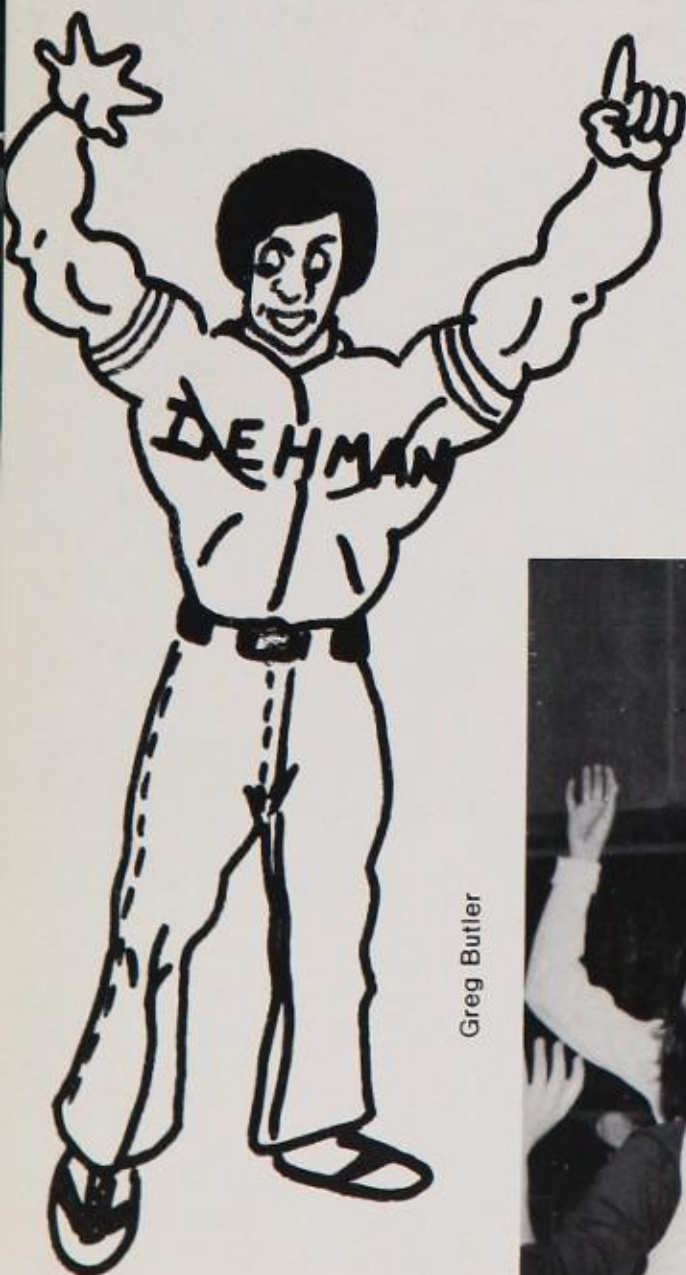


# Physical Education



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Bottom: Mr. Rigo, Ms. Feldman, Mr. Rossin, Ms. Smith

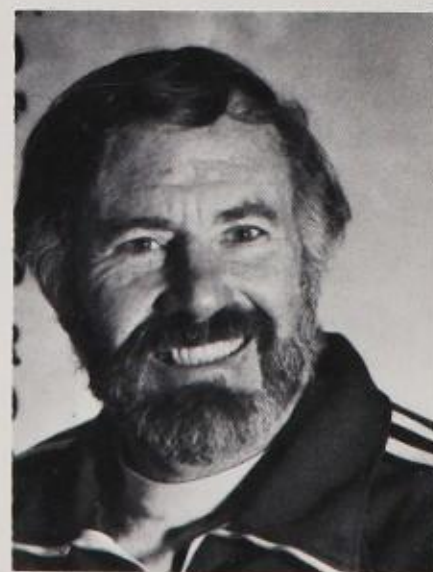
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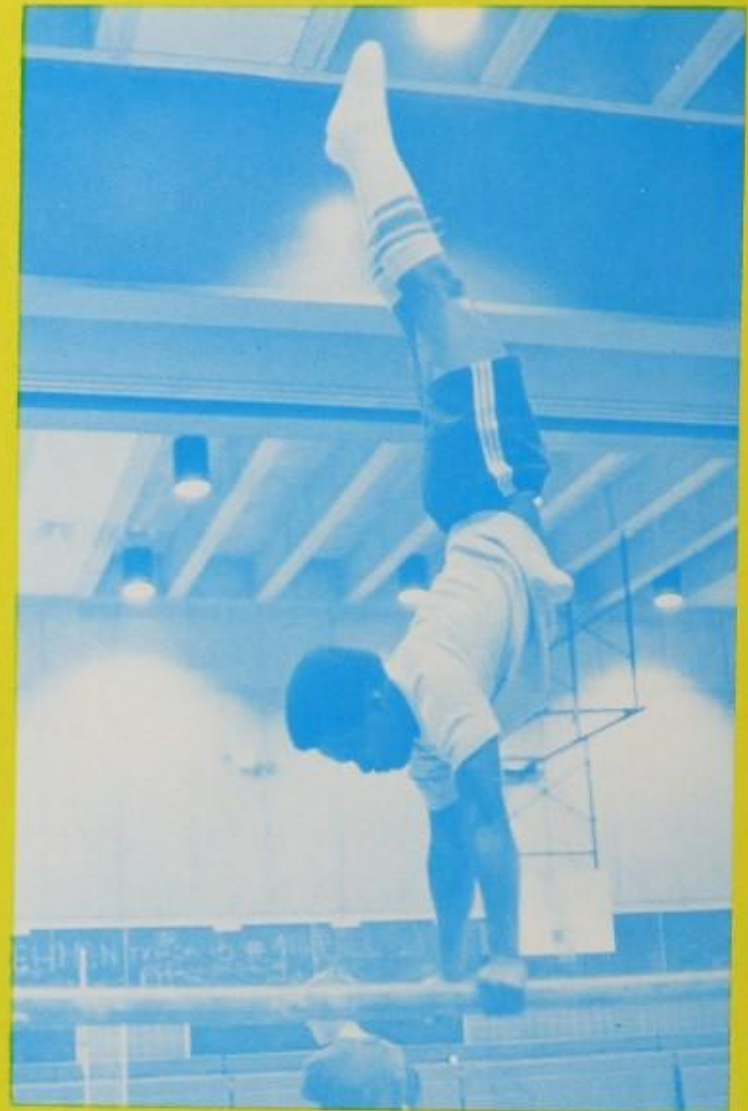
Mr. Singer



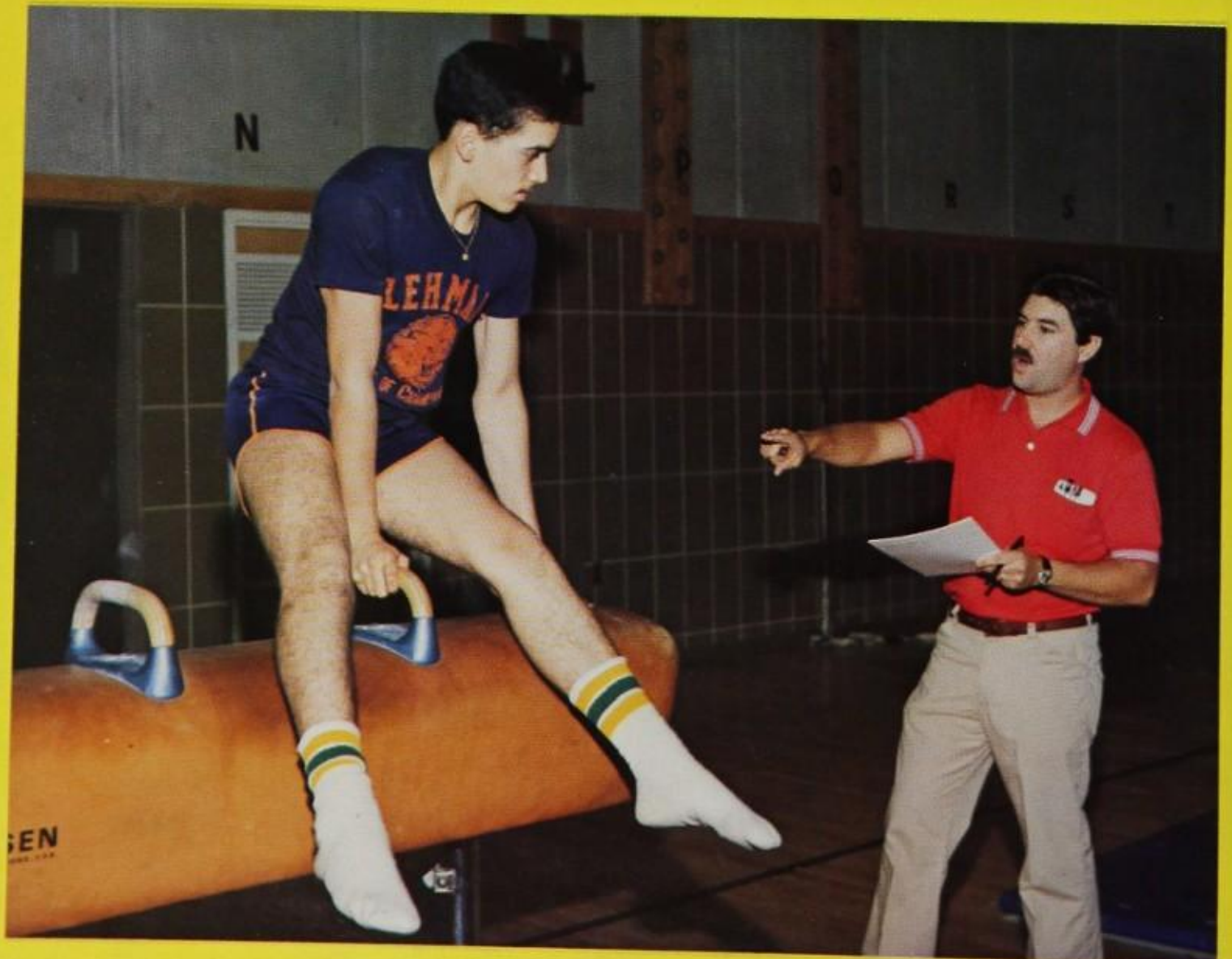
Bobby Kellett



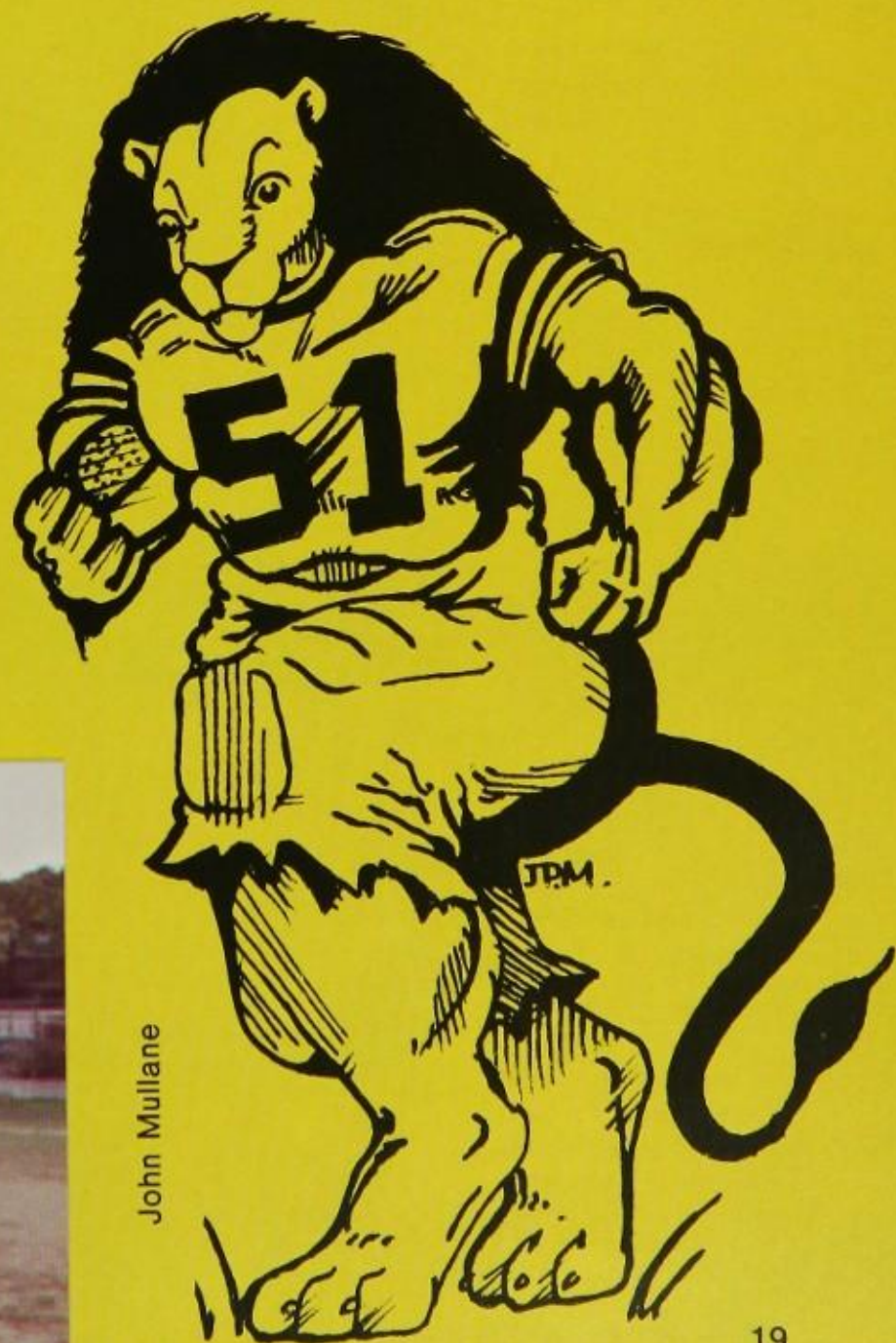




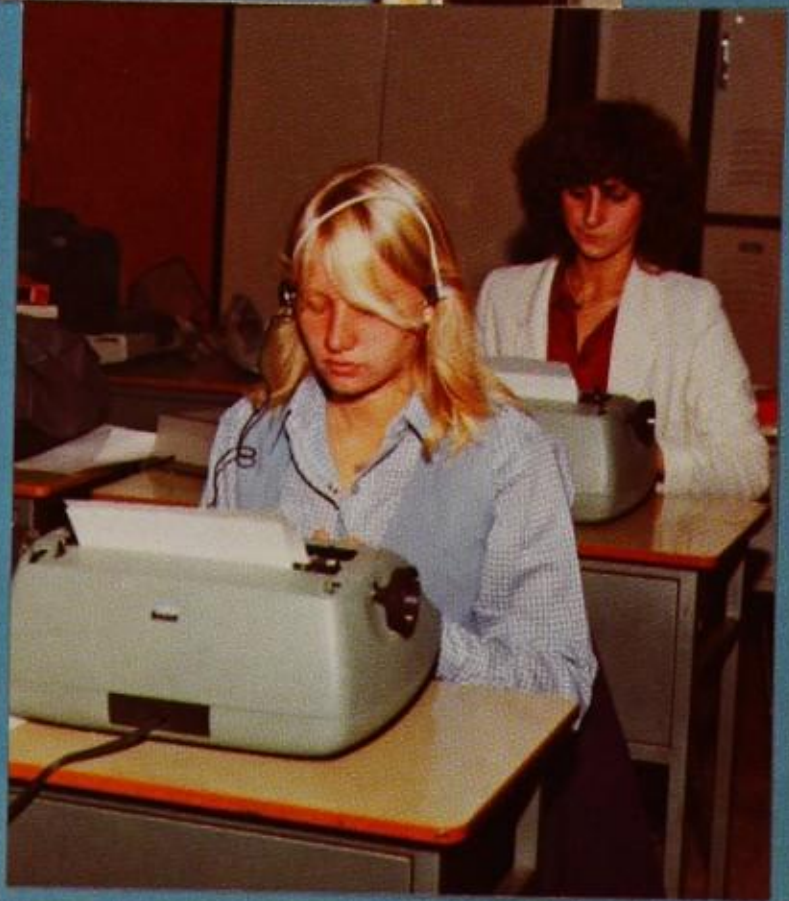
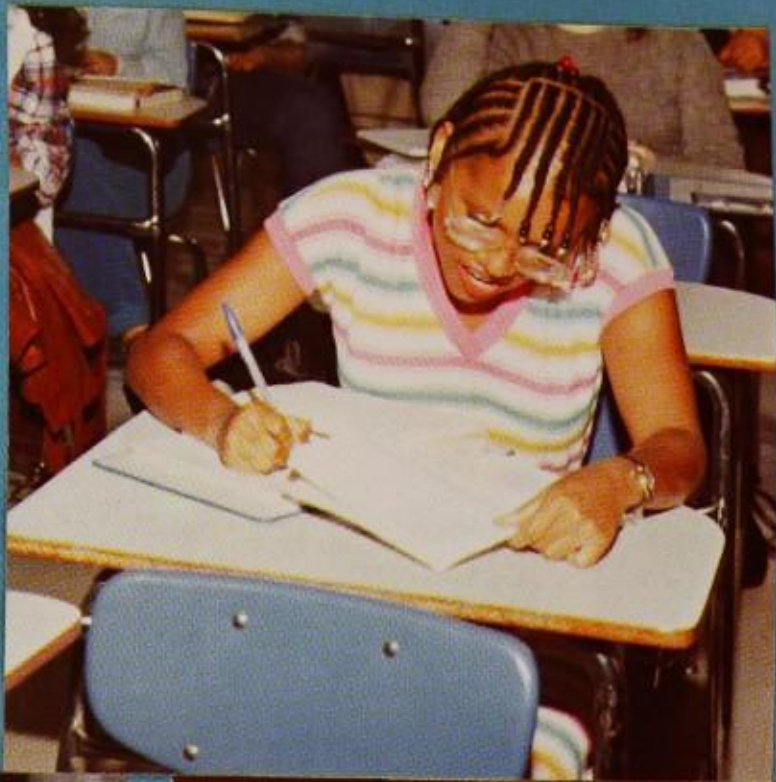
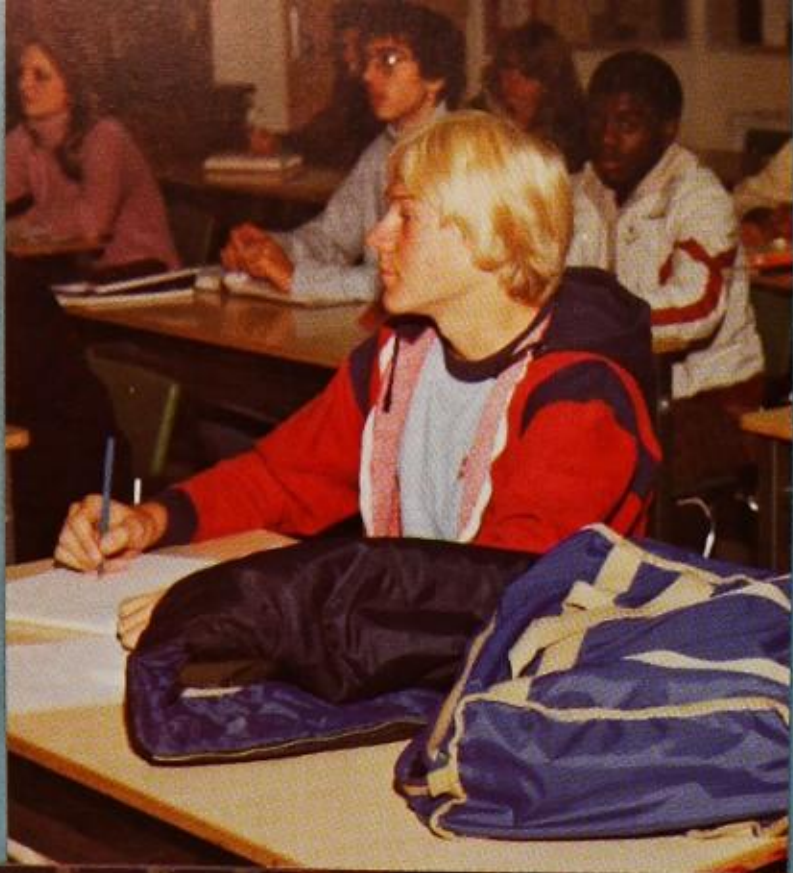
I am fearfully and wonderfully made.  
 Old Testament, Bible  
 Every man is the builder of a temple,  
 called his body.  
 Henry David Thoreau







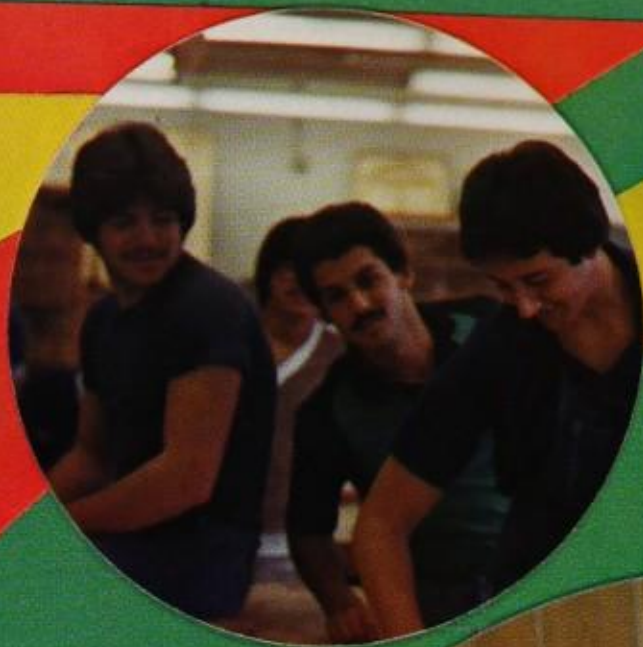
























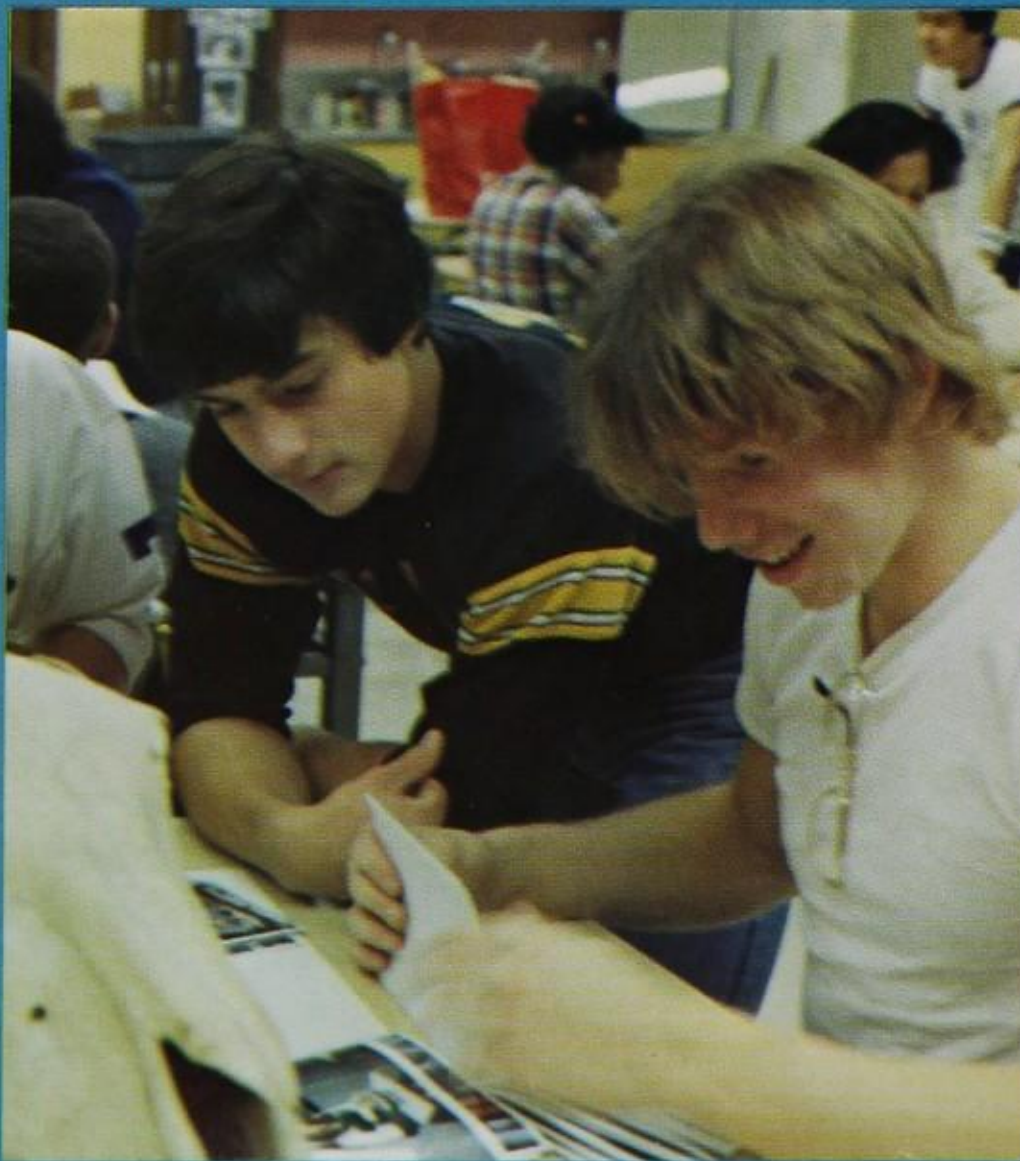




Lehman's Pool!?



Lehman's lounge



Great looking blonde eh?



How much did you say?





Macho macho man, I want to be a macho man!



What an exiting lesson!

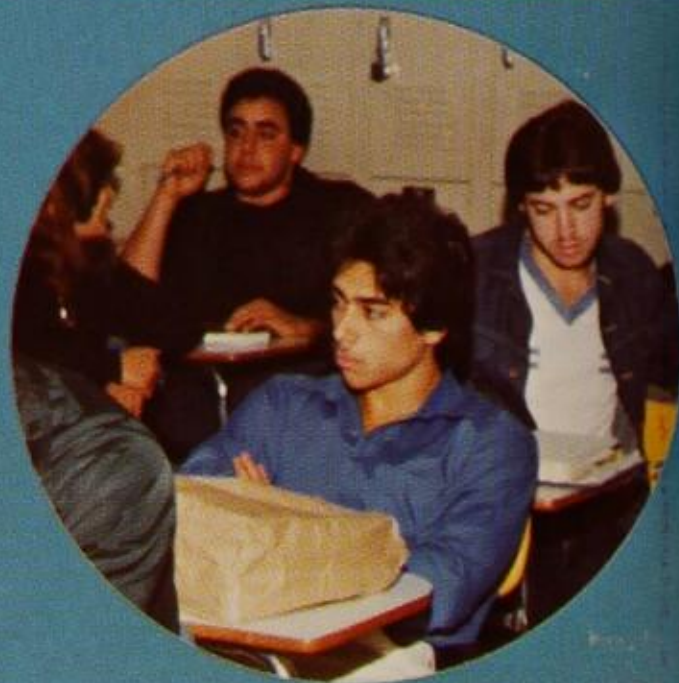


Yes isn't it!!

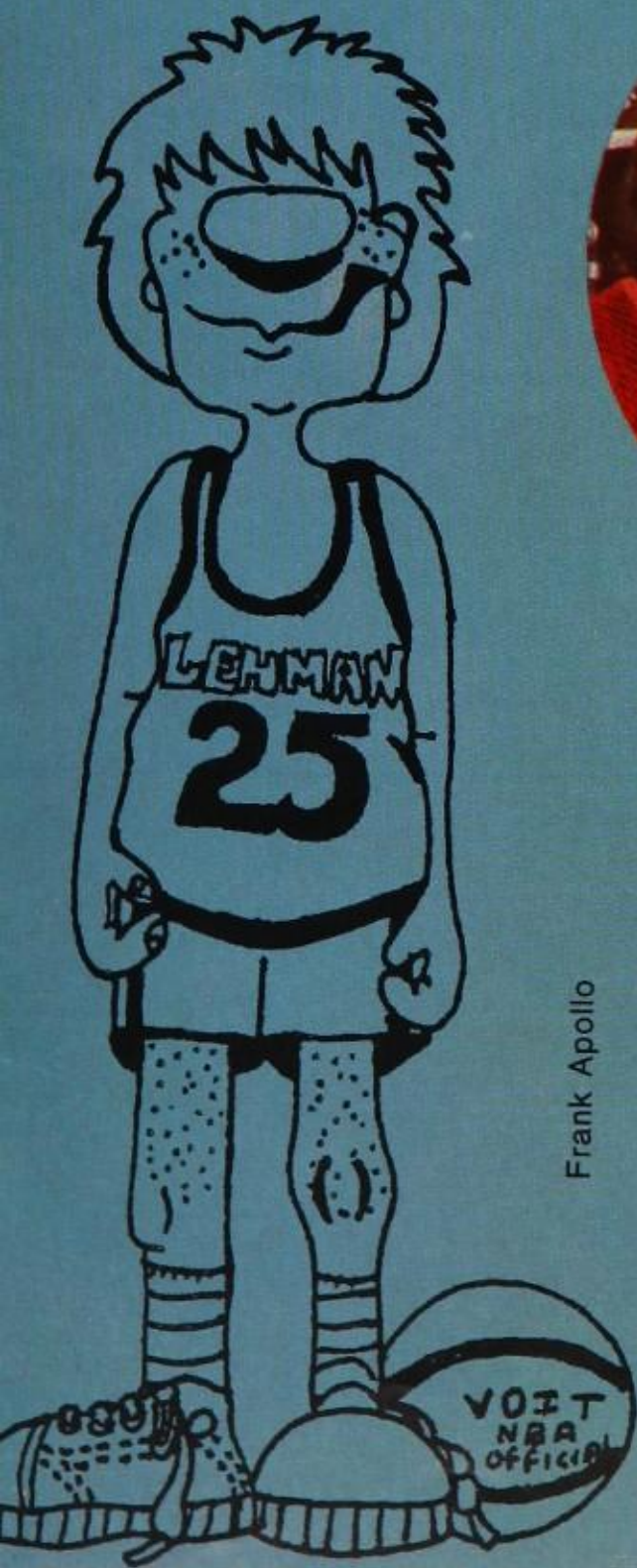


Where's that elevator pass?





Tell me what you see!



Frank Apollo







It's lonely at the top.

Eh! Mario, what are you hiding behind those boxes?







It takes a long time to bring  
excellence to maturity.  
Pubilius Syrus — 42 B.C.











Nick Argiento





Ms. Glass, Coordinator



Ms. Remers



Mr. Moccio, Mr. Meltsner  
Ms. Mitchel with Mr. Stein



Ms. Giordano, Ms. Ross, Mr. Effinger, Ms. Glass, Ms. Solo, Ms. Arezzi



Mr. Hiddleston

# Special Education





# Guidance



Ms. Saumell, Mr. Demas, Ms. Wexler, Mr. Madonick, Ms. Visconti, Mr. Margolis, Ms. Appleton, Mr. Friedberg, Ms. Ambrosia



Ms. Jawin with Charlie



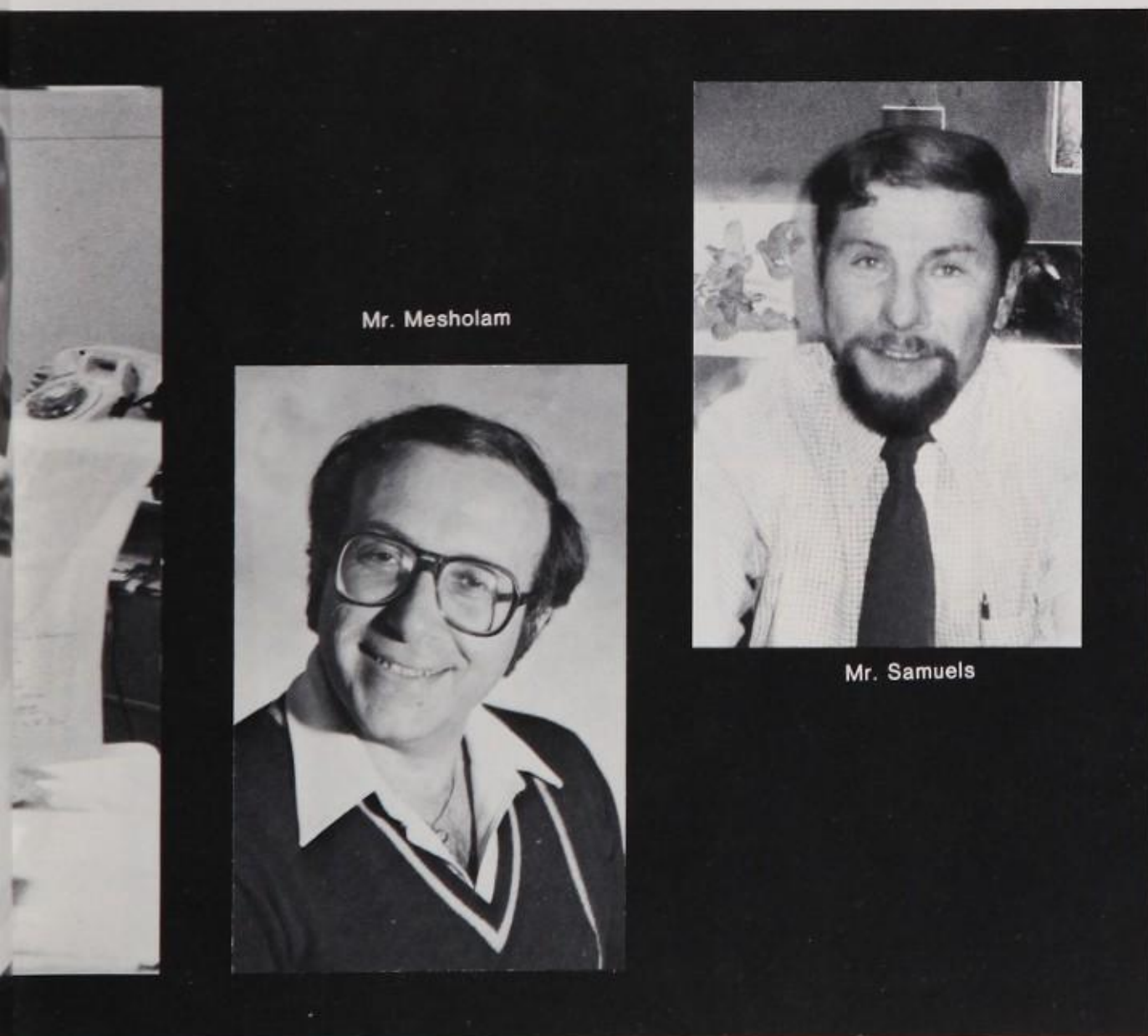


Ms. Rubino, Mr. Singer, Ms. Fortin

# Deans



Mr. Gernant



Mr. Mesholam

Mr. Samuels



Frank Apollo



Lillian Edwards  
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Elma Burney  
Angela Dimitroff  
Ann Somma  
Rose Weaver  
Connie Tuttle  
Helen Pierro  
Mary Ciaffi  
Marie Marazita  
Geraldine Foster



Jeannette Burgos  
C. Scott

Ms. Driscoll, Josie and the lunchroom crew



There are always those behind the scenes that make our school life more comfortable, safer and happier. The helpers — without whom no school could run successfully — the Custodians, the policeman, the security, the paras, the aides — these make Lehman High School "tops".





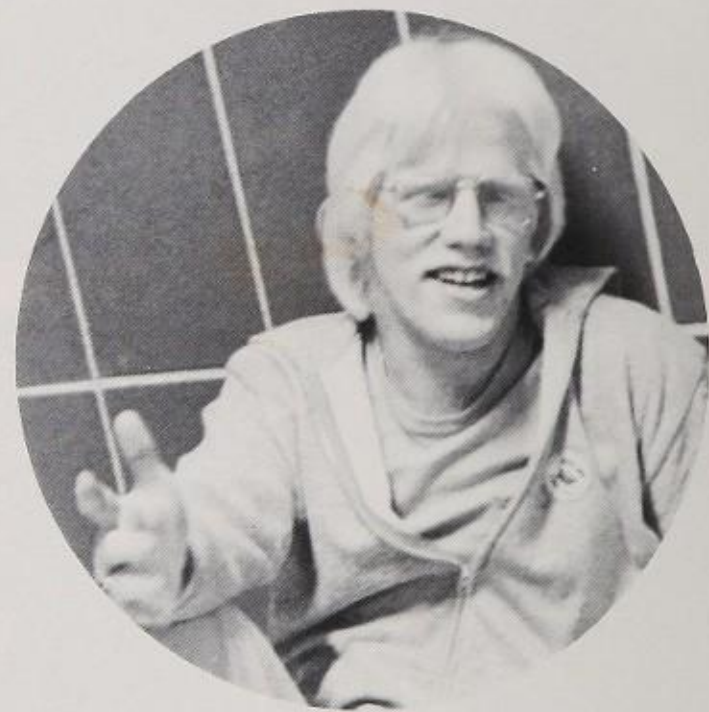
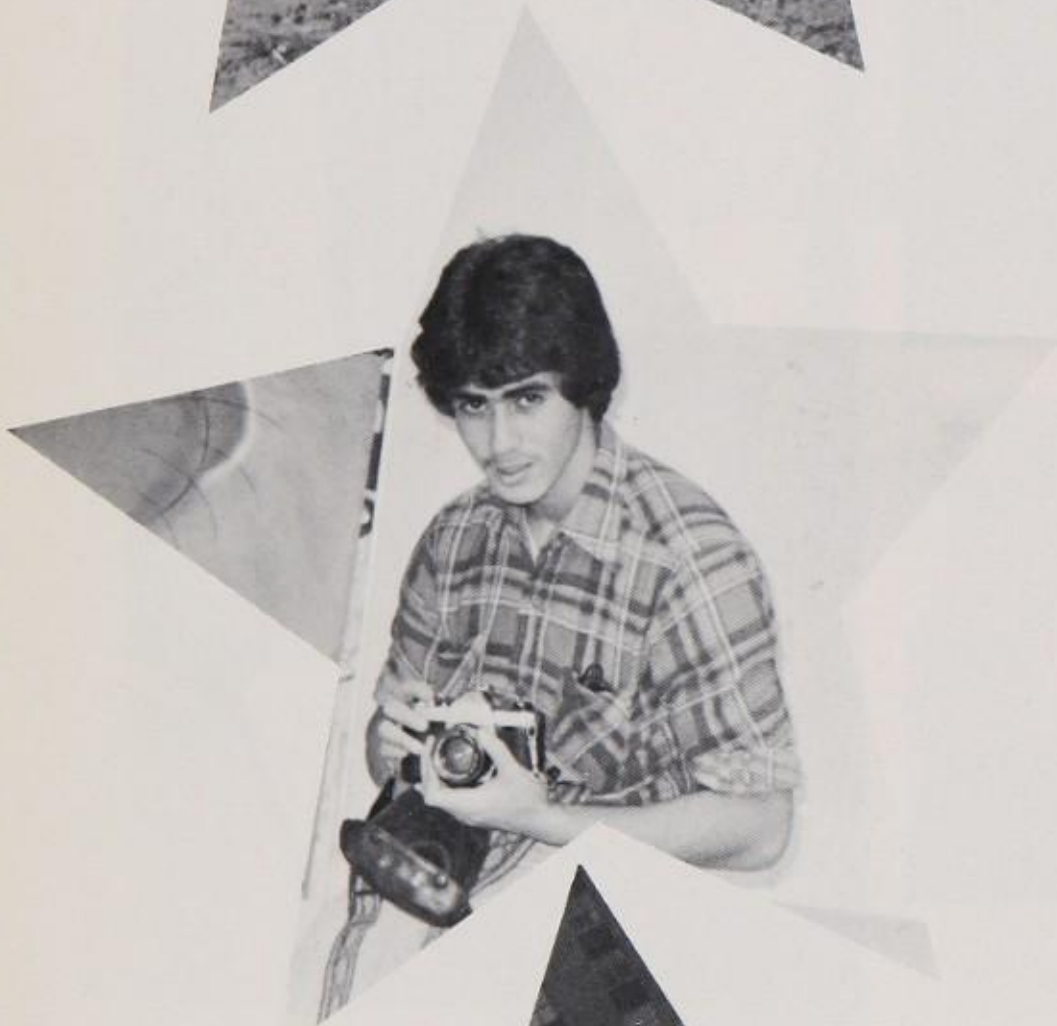
I. Curet, E. Yarbrough, Ms. Capozzi, R. Brown, J. Campbell, L. Nuvita

Mr. Flynn and Mr. Kelly

R. Morton, W. Whitey, C. Wilson, Ptl. Galeota











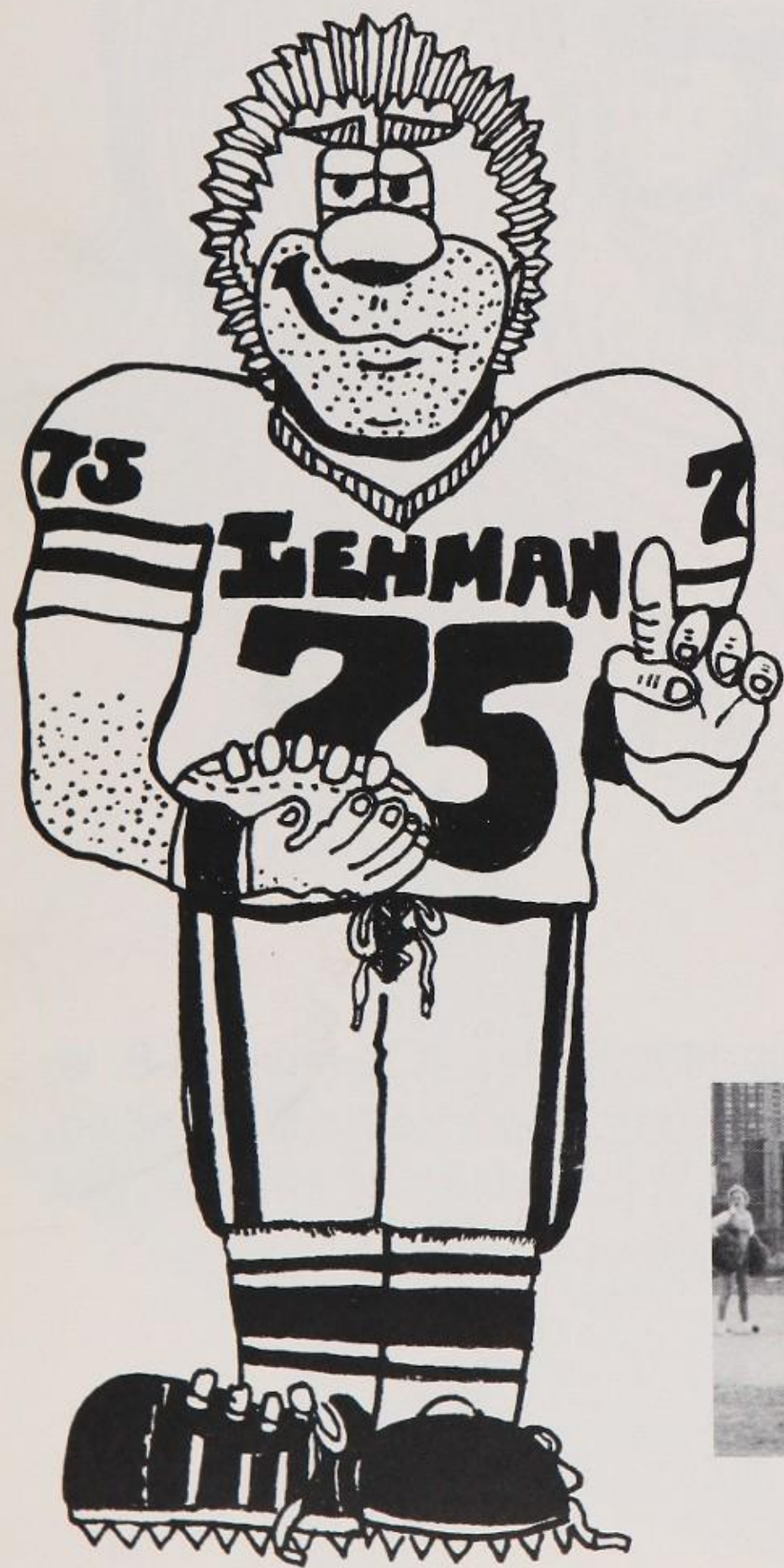
Richard Rethorn

The wealth of activities at Lehman H.S. is endless. Every day is packed with exciting challenges and opportunities to stretch your mind and improve your body.



# Football

# Cheerleaders







# Cartoons By Frank Apollo

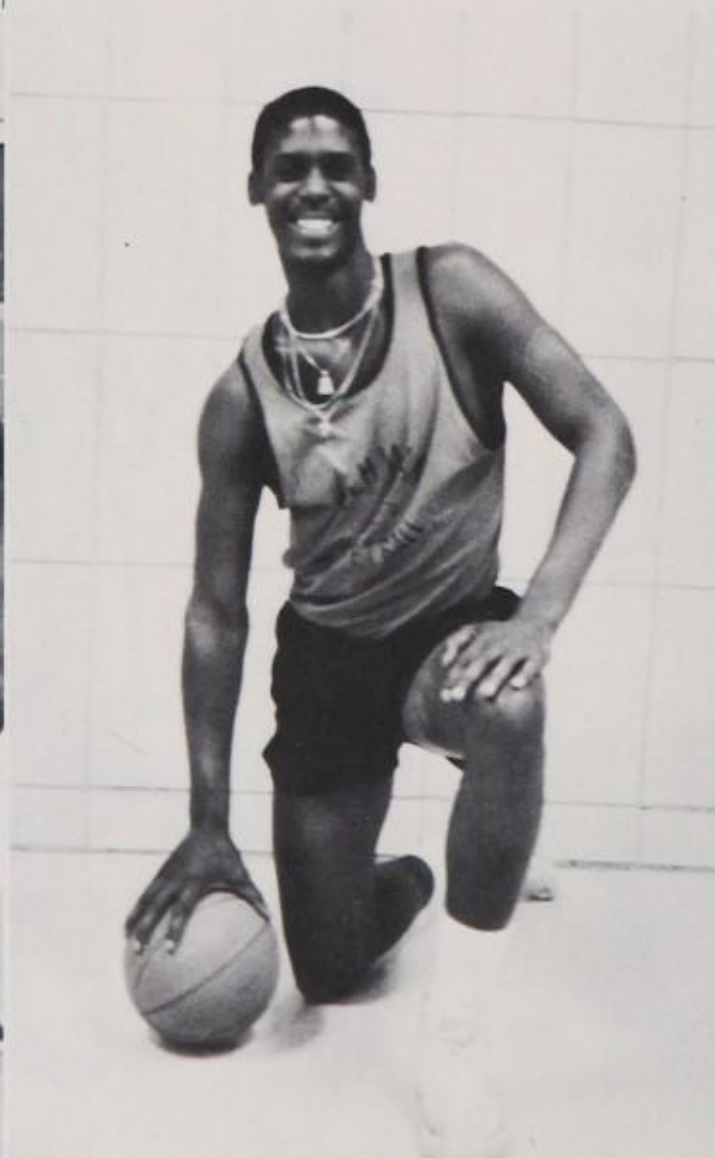






Top: Henry Cox, Steve Jones, Coach Rossin, Ass't coach John Moccio  
 Middle: Darry Guiden, Dave Luckey, Charles Williams, Richard Perez, Derrick Moss  
 Bottom: Kevin Prince, Donnell Harper, Marc Hall, Danny Washington

## Basketball Team







Top: Mauaper Ernest Alston, Coach Joe Levine  
 Bottom: Danny Ferreras, Jepther Lewis, Russell Lobello, David Cardero, Joe Flock  
 David Palmer, Mike Leone (all city outfielder), Mike Rosenziveig

## Baseball Team



Frank Apollo



Strength For '81: Russell Lobello, Joe Flock, Coach Joe Levine, Mike Leone



# Cheerleaders Boosters



# Fencing

Vincent Miraglia, Patrick Wheat, Marjorie Henry, Claudio Romano, Roberto Diaz, Mark Wagner  
Captain, H. Keuper Coach

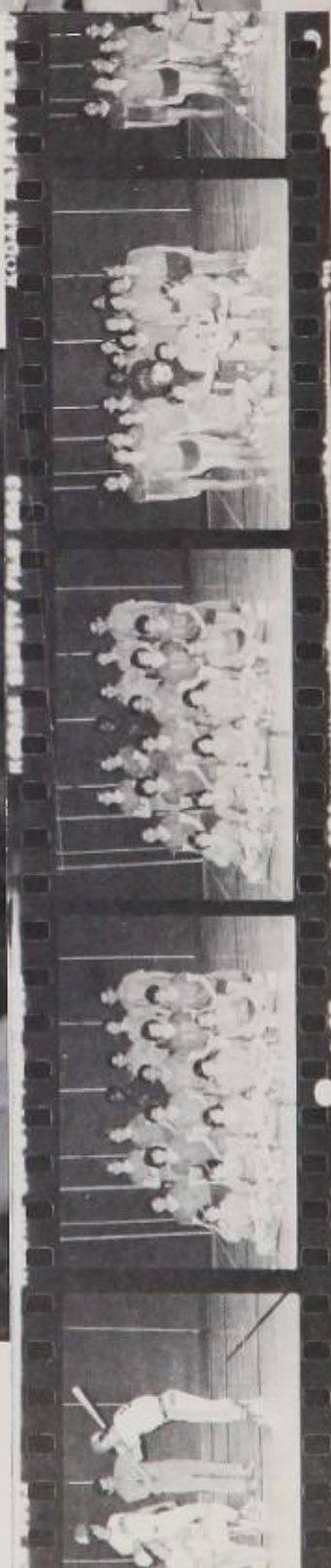






Top: Kam Yu, Tony Cursio, Mike Rosenziveig, Joe Battaglia, Steve Ballas, Jephtha Levis, Danny Ferreras, Russell Lobello, Leslie Baez, Timmy Nicks, Mike Socco, Tony Rexach, Nick Dallariss, Mike Ullman.  
Bottom: Co-Captains Andy Leich and Mike O'Sullivan, Coach Levine

# Soccer





# Math Team



Top: Lisa Mazzullo, Gary Chin, Mr. Iacovetta, Bruno Cesarini, Karla Parchment  
Bottom: Susan Rachel, Renee Felese, Judy Giuffre, Debbie Bellow  
Not Pictured: Laura D'Attore, Dianne Ort, John Wacik, Linda Cheng, Susan Lam, Terry Paese

# Computer Club



Top: George Campos, Walter Sierpinski, Mr. Rockfeld, Edda Hickey, Bruno Cesarino, Nina Matera, Bottom: Anita Horn, Judy Giuffre, Karla Parchment, Dorothy Gajda, Laura Valentine, Renee Felese





# Drama Club

Top: Alfanso Dalman, Bambi Foster, Marie Burgos, Eileen DeSouter, Suleica Rosario, Nancy Grahman, Middle: Nina Matera, Wilma Vargas, Maria Santiago, DeAnna Nater, Vito La Sorella, Julio Lopez. Bottom: Jelena Grim, Ms. Sheila Kaye, Liz O'Brien, Anne Marie Greaves.







Science Club: K. Parchment, A. Resto, E. Alicia, R. Lugo, L. Bancks, L. Gloria, G. Lebron, D. Torres, A. Horn, F. Fernandez, M. Busby, C. Allen, M. Cabrera, M. Toran, Y. Gomez, S. VanBeughan, D. Hort, Mr. Seigel, L. Mazzullo, M. Simon, M. Schapers, G. Stockhausen, G. Chin, J. Ledda

LoriAnne Hacker



From one celled,  
To the complex chemistry that encompasses man  
The world of science is an infinite journey  
Through timeless discovery of life.

By Desiree Ayala

Outdoors Club: Chimene Allen, Mr. McDermott, Mr. Siegal, Eugene Balasnowich, Bill Debonis, Vincent Ritchie, Ms. Kaye, Bambi Foster, DeAnna Nater, Elizabeth Alicia, Marisol Cabrera, Dawn Davis, Desiree Barbera

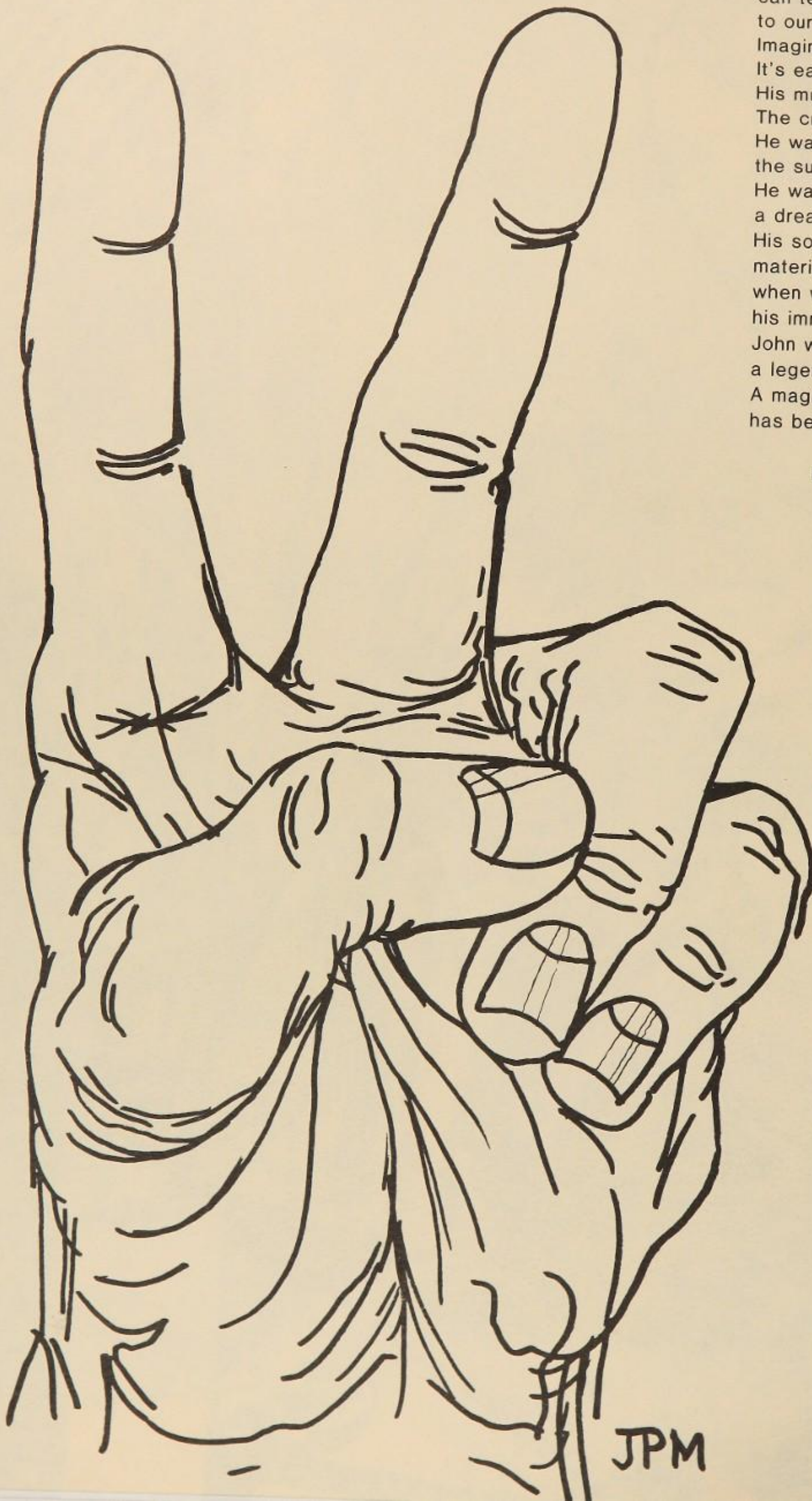






Bobby '81





John Lennon

A magical, musical legend  
Yanked from our grasp and  
can tell no new rhythmic tales  
to our anticipating ears.  
Imagine he is still alive —  
It's easy if you try.  
His music, his words, still filling  
The cruel, cruel world with hope.  
He was in essence  
the sun, melting an icy world.  
He was in truth  
a dream in a world of nightmares.  
His soul shall  
materialize for us all  
when we hear the songs he once wrote,  
his immortal music.  
John was  
a legend.  
A magical, musical triumph  
has been lost.

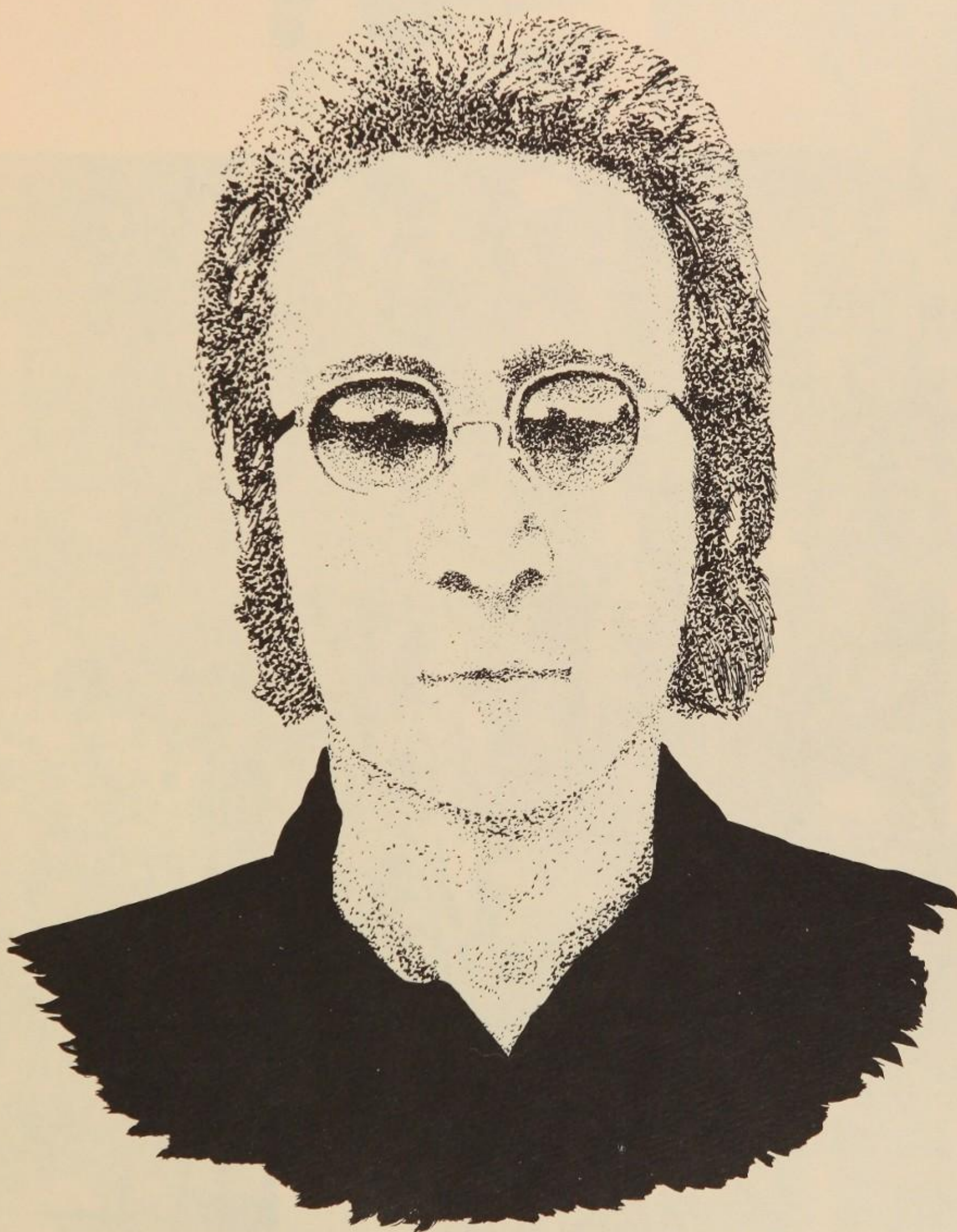
Elaine Mammano

JPM



John Lennon

1940-1980



Anthony Landi





Photography By Frank Badolato



Lennon —  
such a brilliant composer!  
Imagine the beauty of  
living to sing.  
Searching endlessly for lyrics to  
make us  
sense our innermost needs.  
It is true:  
death is his saddest song.









## To My Friend

Though we were once close  
and couldn't be separated,  
we've accomplished just that  
and have done it for ourselves.

We played ball and sold lemonade.  
Now I see you only by chance  
when I'm walking the dog or  
going to visit my grandmother.

You were the strong one when it came  
to fighting and fooling around;  
I was the quiet one who was  
envious of your strength.

I am not alone — but I miss your company.  
Your way of brightening up a day.  
Life didn't force our parting;  
our own values did it for us

We play for the same softball team;  
but are among strangers and can't relate.  
You are a showman on and off the field.  
Something I will never be — but I am just as good.

Your disco clothes make you louder  
But that doesn't make me want to wear them.  
You stay with smaller kids who look to you as a regal being  
The same as I unconsciously looked toward.

When college begins, we might never  
Share the times again,  
But when I get married, you're still  
My best man — my best friend.

Anthony DiGirolamo

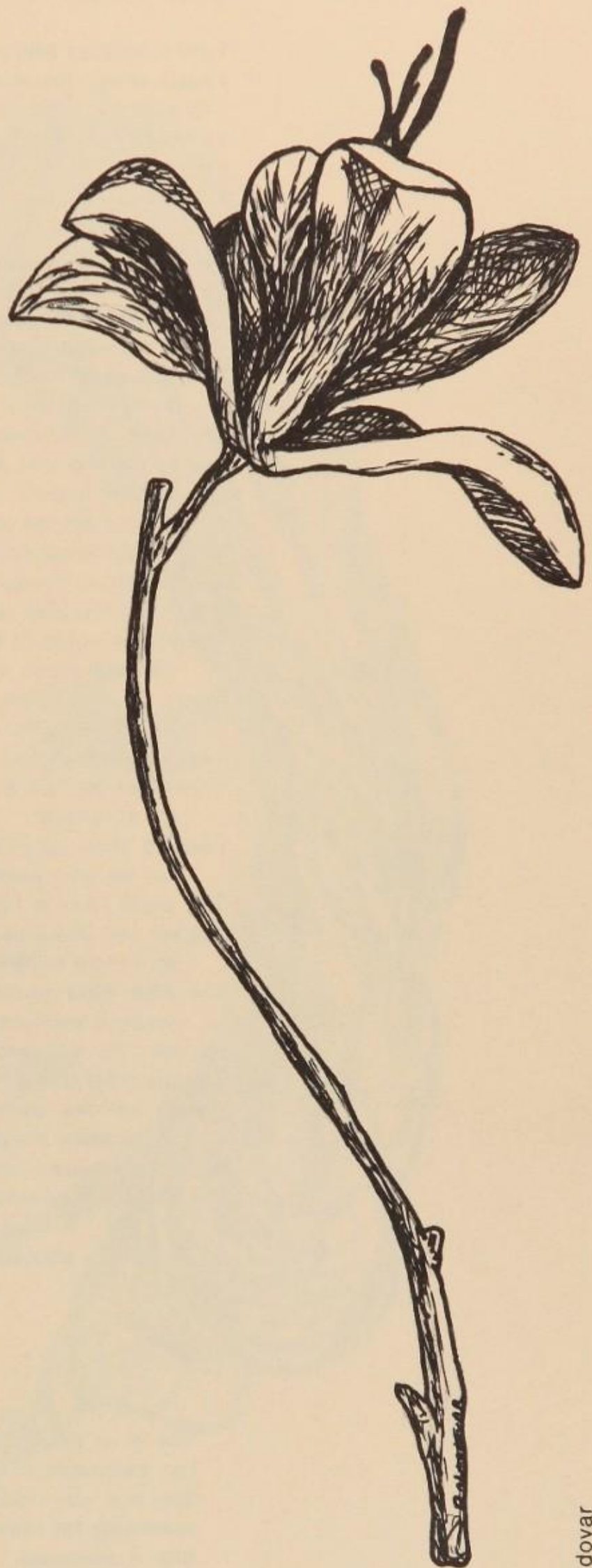
Did you ever wonder where it all begins  
Is it scientific phenomena  
Or just mortal sin?

Straighten your tie  
Behind you, please close the door.  
We do all of this  
But who is it for?

Is there death after life?  
Is there life after death?  
Is it ordinary wind  
Or eternal breath?

The answer is easy.  
Finding it is the trick.  
The candle does not burn  
But only the wick.

Kim McElveen



David Almodovar



### Super-Dreamer

I am a cottony white cloud in an azure sky  
I am a violet flower on a bed of greenest grass  
I fly with the wind as a stallion on the beach  
I change shape and become my heart's desire  
I have many faces but one mind,  
    many roads but one path,  
    many ideas but one lone conclusion.  
My home is the ancient Mt. Olympus in Greece  
I live in a castle in England,  
    a chateau in France  
There is peace and tranquility wherever I go  
The stones on my house talk to the trees,  
    compelling them to grow  
The gates and moats are at stiff attention,  
    to the fog that surrounds them  
Life here is grand!  
Einstein taught me scientific ways  
While Sophocles showed me the way of expression  
Euclid helped my mathematic mind to develop  
But Freud enables me to understand your thoughts  
I dance on notes of blissfulness,  
    as Bach plays my sonnets  
Pierre Cardin comes out to play,  
    as my jeans flare with regal grace,  
I sailed the high seas with Jean La Fitte  
I rode beside Paul Revere and his Minute Men,  
    for a second  
I batted clean-up at the '78 World Series,  
    but we won anyway.  
The world I live in fights no wars  
Russia and China call for tea,  
    as Britain brings the crumpets, of course  
The Americans march with a flag so proud,  
    respect becomes an international vow.  
No need for money where I go  
The greatest treasures are found within one's self  
Hungry for love, peace, and honor,  
    overcomes the old ache for power  
A perfect society nowhere else could you find  
But within the deepest bend of my mind.

Lisa Mazzullo

She is an infant, too afraid;  
too distraught to accept affection or beauty.  
She is a lost creature  
searching for reason to breathe.  
She is confused;  
lost in a maze of obscure knowledge.  
Acknowledging the Demon  
she keeps on running to nowhere.

Maxine Lewis





Bobby Kellett







### View From My Bedroom Window

The air was crisp and sterile, and a symphony of miniature fowls stood atop a rusty iron fence and cooed eloquently, wistfully for their Sunday supper. Blankets of clouds culminated in a puffy linen white pile, then traversed elegantly across a placid lavender sky, making it look like an enormous, immaculate handkerchief.

A gentle breeze lingered and caressed a love-starved tree, which stretched its eager limbs and received its loving gesture. Then suddenly a fierce envious wind stormed by, causing drenched garments to wave frantically for peace, while an array of clothes pins in their khaki uniforms stood at attention and kept a close watch.

As a passive sun subsided behind tall beige brick dwellings, a serene, celestial bliss hovered in the air.

Birds quivered their inquisitive beaks for food and frolic, and bickered about their places on a defenseless tree, while the sun hid behind the accumulating clouds to avoid the contention.

Maxine Lewis

And this is how I view my home. I have heard its many sounds and have observed it from its inner shell; yet now I experience it only through an old memory, a vivid remembrance of sadness, aged and distant in my mind; like worn clothes kept aside; the locked trunk of brass and iron. I hold the key to the trunk in my hand, the presence of the old, warm feeling in my heart. And I feel the love, the old love, bright as day, and glowing like stars, shining in my night. A small flame burns deep inside under the sadness of my memory, and the love still warm and tender. I turn at the key with anticipating hands, then instantly an illusion of happiness, an illusion distant but fresh and filled with pleasant thoughts of yesterday, of beautiful people, enters into my frightened mind — the lovely memory of my home in my heart. This I will always remember. It was soft and tender, like a kiss, like an unbroken promise of undying love.

Lorraine Hall

### I Remember . . .

I remember how it feels to relax; to lie supine on a warm summer's night underneath the twinkling stars, with the moon's beam streaming down on my face, the thick green grass cushioning my weary limbs, a warm breeze softly blowing, the tree's rustling leaves, as my body succumbs to fatigue, ready to sink into a deep, deep, sleep . . .

I remember how it feels to get out of fresh water: my drenched hair releasing tiny droplets that roll down onto my moist face and slide down my neck, the slight tremor of my body when the open air and the water on my skin unite, making me turn and plunge back into the stream . . .

I remember a beautiful scene: the horizon with all its splendor and magnificence, ocean waves, mighty and furious, crashing down on the coastal rocks, then arriving calmly on the shore; the sun, that luminous ball of life, shining brightly above the earth and sea, slowly descending, joining, blending with the other elements until they are gloriously one . . .

I remember my favorite piece of music: quietly sitting, listening to the medley, feeling the mellow serenade rush within me, absorbing the words and chanting them aloud: dancing, spinning, leaping and singing, performing my own musicale . . .

I remember laughing; the physical pleasure of feeling joy; smiling, glowing, laughing out loud, laughing until it hurts, pure amusement, delight, content, simply enchanted with life . . .

I remember soft hair: lock after of silken curls, falling smoothly in my hands

. . .

I remember a tender kiss: soft, moist lips pressing gently on mine.

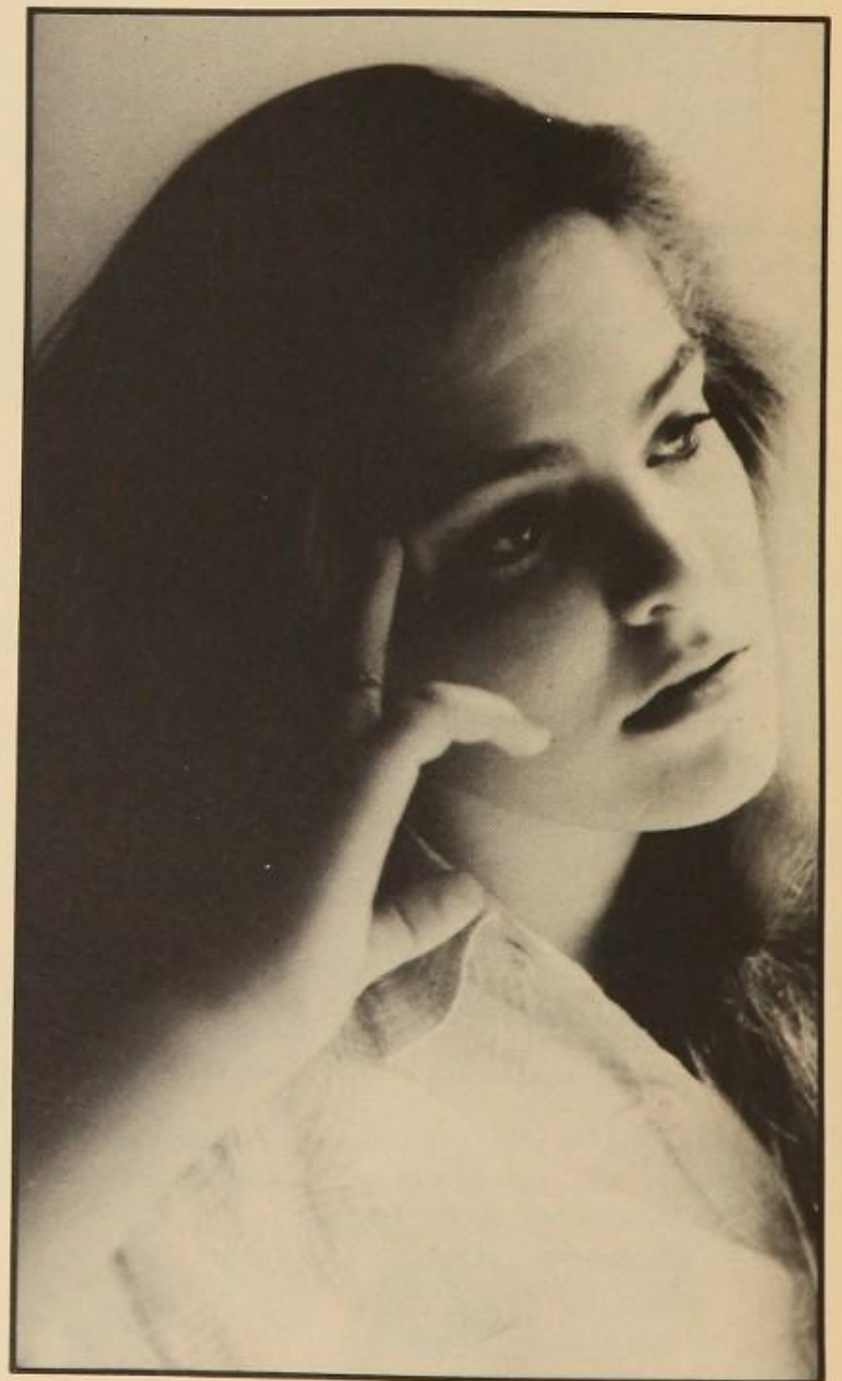
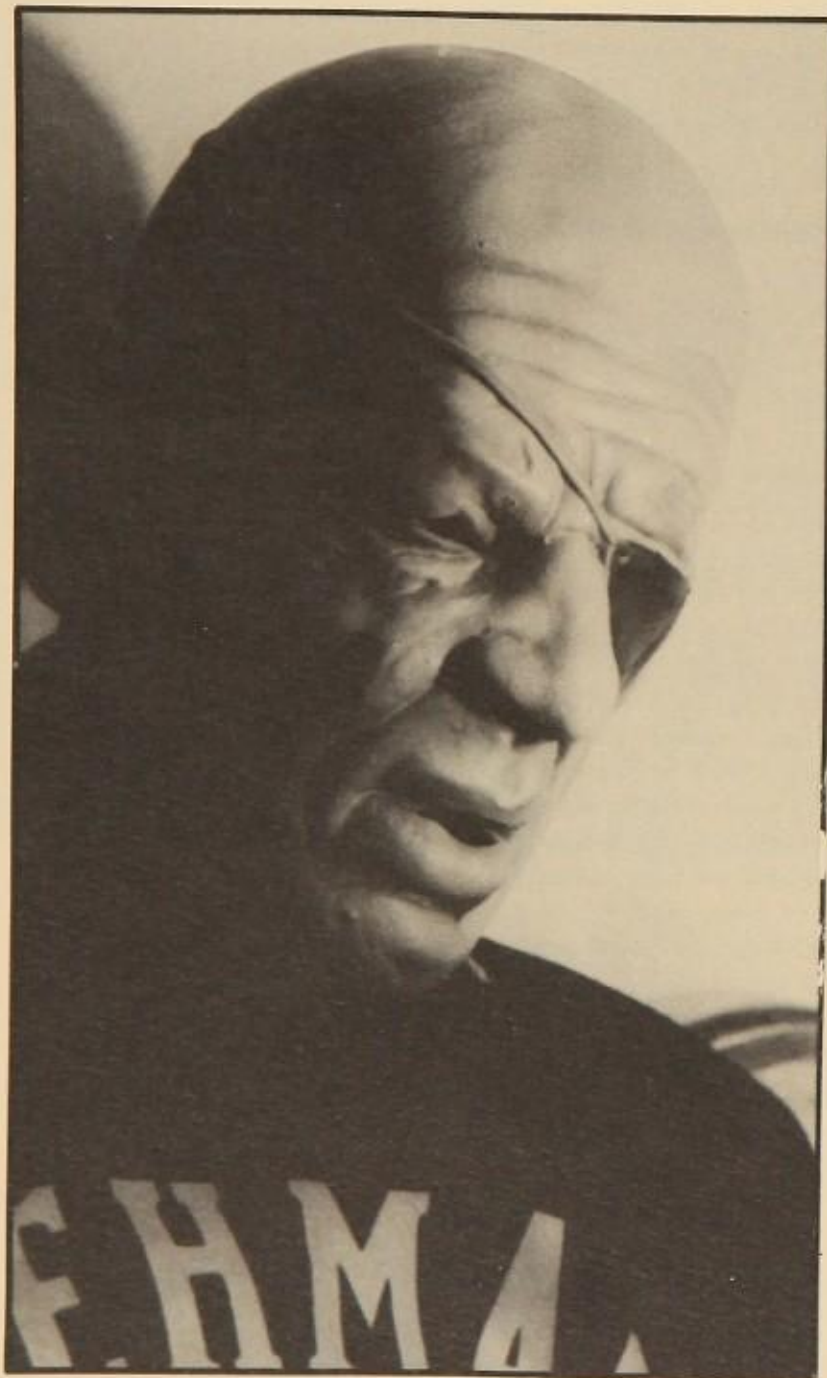
I am suddenly overwhelmed with joy, blissfully happy.

I feel loved, needed and wanted.

Roselyn Rodriguez

Why was I so frightened to touch his hand?  
Why couldn't I find the receiver when I longed to hear his voice?  
Why couldn't I hug him just because he was there?  
Why couldn't I cry before him when my eyes drowned  
in their own fiery liquid.  
Why couldn't I share myself?  
So what if he knows I care?  
The vulnerability will help me.  
It will carry us through the gates of  
where we both should stand.  
If I delve inside my trembling body and  
pull out the tears, passions and trepidations  
If I hand these to him unabounded.  
With honesty and a deep rooted sense of who we both are  
He'll feel.  
He'll feel my naivete for all that I know is  
inevitable in the long run.  
Only to chew a nail at every ring  
As the ringing was replaced by a deep resonant "hello"  
His voice perplexed me and shoved  
my courageous thoughts back into  
their dark, secure, surroundings;  
To awaken to the realization  
of a monotone buzz.  
Desiree Ayala





Photography By Frank Badolato



### Arise

Burning,  
You fell from the sky enveloped in flames  
so rise from your ashes, like a phoenix, anew

Rise, rise  
you have the power eternal  
you could hold the sun if you wished it true.

Fly, fly  
you can do so much more  
for within you is the spirit  
and it lives in you.

Reach out and grasp the whole —  
for the mystery is yours  
yours is the question, yours is the answer  
and yours is the key to unlock the door.

Just for a moment  
rise above all

And once you are there  
you can never fall.

Tread the earth  
enter the oceans  
feel the wind in your hair,

Cleansed with water  
baptized in fire

rise, rise, if you dare

There is no limit —  
endless, boundless  
eternity is yours

Let it enter  
through your pores

Let your mind fall into you  
cradle it in flowers  
expand your conscience out from you  
absorb the universes power

Rise, rise  
you endless child  
You are free, you are free  
you are wild.

Bobby Kellett

### I Never Really Knew Heaven

I never really knew heaven;  
When you consider it — depressing, but true.  
I used to think it was expensive dinners;  
Clothes that shimmered, shone and showed;  
Headlights that could be seen way before taillights;  
Satin sheets in any color;  
Champagne toasts all night.  
Then you came along —  
And it didn't matter that every hair was in place.  
In fact you liked it better a little messy.  
It didn't matter that the sweatshirt didn't match the sneakers,  
Two articles of clothing that would have never dreamed of  
Turning up in my closet.  
It didn't matter that I had forgotten part of  
the William Tell Overture.  
It didn't matter that the nectar from the fruits we shared  
Ran down my chin, in fact you enjoyed kissing it away.  
It didn't matter that the last note I sang was off key  
According to you, I could have opened at the Met.  
I just want to thank you.  
Things no longer need to be dunked in  
Superficiality before I taste them.  
Thanks again for showing me my purpose,  
for introducing me to heaven;  
for introducing me to me.

Desiree Ayala

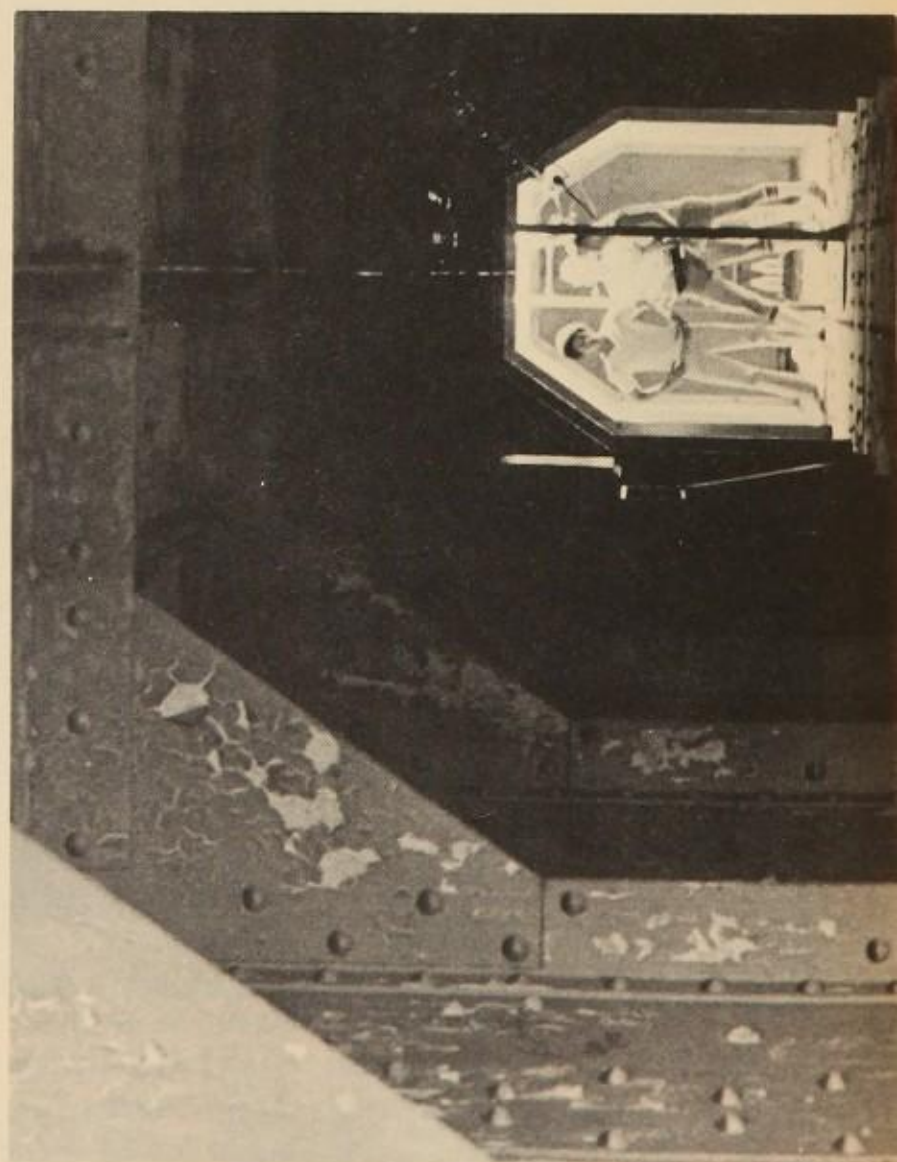
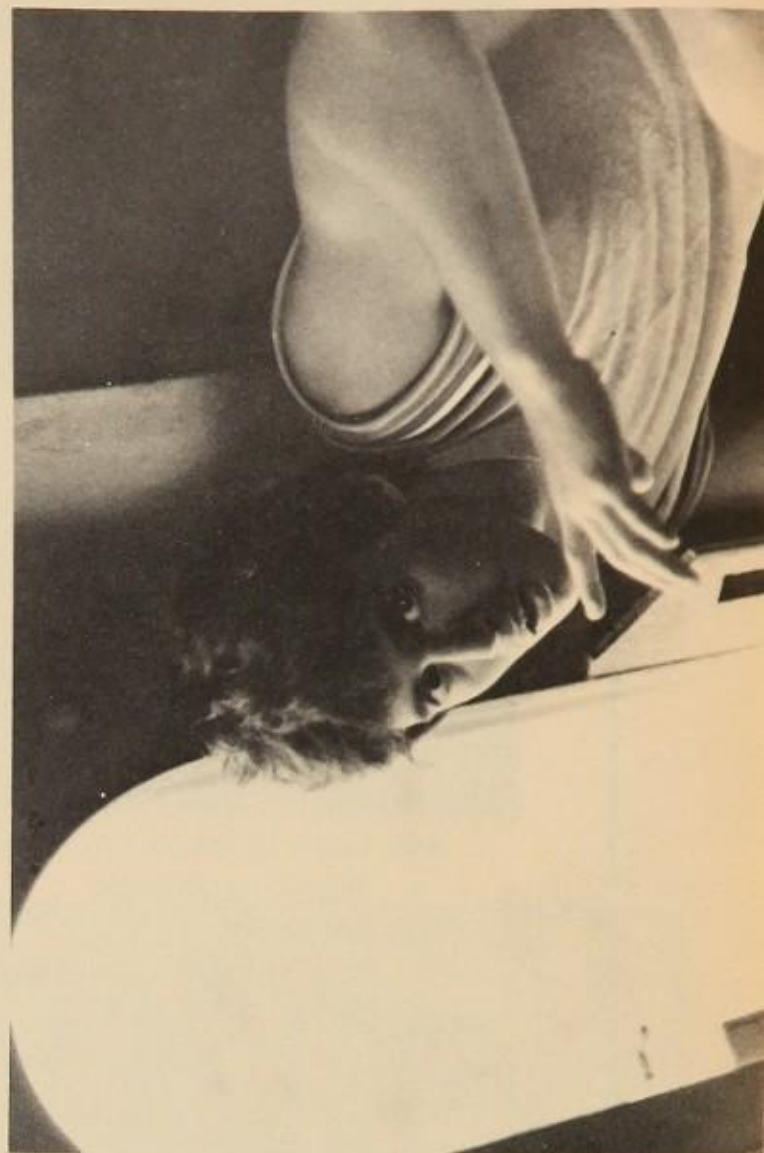


### Testing

My fingers move  
But not with the flawless grace  
They had two hours before.  
My eyes are fixed on the carbon copy  
In front of me  
But my brain wanders away  
For a moment or two  
Trying to comprehend the validity of this test  
Is my knowledge so vague  
That my eyes squint in the deepest concentration  
Or am I a pompous genius  
Rebelling against your Preachings.

Maxine Lewis

## Photography By David Almodovar





The relationship had metamorphosed into  
subtler shades  
since the days we  
went for picnic lunches in the  
middle of a work day.

Now we rarely communicate;  
but when we do find time  
to sit and share a steaming cup of Swiss Mocha  
it is as though our lives had never connected.  
It is frightening to feel  
we had long been deluding ourselves,  
daring to deny the failure of a love.  
We are programmed in pairs  
throughout our existence  
Then I met someone who didn't judge,  
who was willing to give freely without  
expecting pints of blood in return.  
For you I wanted the world instantaneously  
wrapped in a neat little bundle with  
silver and gold trimming.

Were our lives mapped out?  
You, making deals behind your corporate desk,  
I, struggling to type an unprecedented sentence.  
Now, a few grey hairs later I call you.  
You with your Jack LaLanne membership card expired.  
I, with my passion for chocolate chip ice cream —  
beginning to show;  
You with your incessant fixation for busty women;  
I with my bust developer;  
You with your life;  
I with mine.  
How did our lives come to be so different?  
Were they ever that much alike?  
We parted with regrets  
yet at the same time tasting the relief;  
knowing that we were over the love  
but the love was not over.

Desiree Ayala



Cathy Chiodi





John Mullane





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Faculty Advisor

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## 1981 Yearbook Staff







# 1980 Winter Festival of the Arts







A huge success!  
Aesthetically pleasing and immensely entertaining!  
Lehman's Winter Festival was made possible by the joint efforts of several disciplines, music, art, and drama; working together to achieve high quality product based on the superior standards of both Lehman faculty and students.

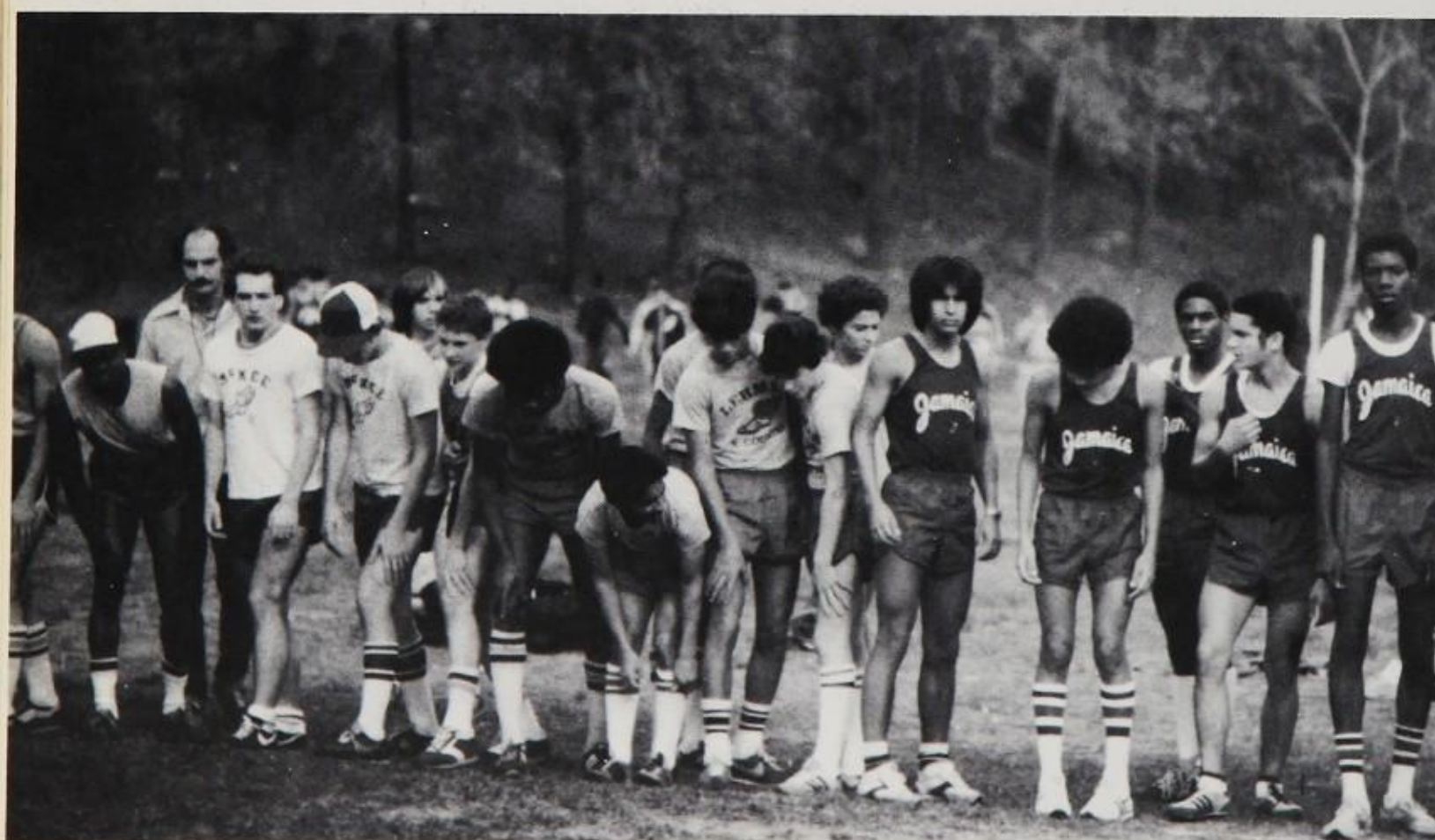




# Lehman's Track and



Front Row: Barry Vanterpool, Heny Abreu, Capt. Gilbert Torres, Donny Moreno, Manager.  
Rear: Robert Mercedes, Eddie Quinones, Barry Jacobs, Sam Doctor, Coach Mulvey  
Missing from the photos are: Co. Capt. Teddy Jones, Joe Brown, Louie Mercordo.





# Cross Country Lions



Top Row: Michael Longres, Julio Cueuas, Jose Ayala, Eric Packer, Barry Vanterpool, Steven Metzger Coach.

Bottom Row: Teddy Jones, Henry Alreu Sr. Capt., Eddie Quinones Jr. Capt., Tommy O'Reilly

Absent From Picture Frank Badolato



Excellence is running a Marathon.  
Excellence is a gold medal.







Mrs. Erica Marantz, Mr. Robert Leder, Mr. Nick Mancuso, Mr. Jerome Becker  
Richard Rethorn, Frank Apollo, Eddie Deery, Byron Davy

These students received an award from Mr. Nick Mancuso, President of Uniformed Firefighters Association for works of art representing the Fire Department.

## Senior Executive Council

Christina Koutsikas —  
Treasurer  
Teresa Paese — Secretary  
Lori Pugh — Vice President  
Denise McKenna — President  
Mrs. Gavalas — Advisor







# Student Organization

Mr. Openden — Advisor

**TOP** L-R Chris Crandell, Julio Lopez, Colleen Connally, Tanya Henley, Mercedes Morales, Daniel Ferreras, Henry Abru, Monica Lopez, Danny Moreno, Mike Vilman

**MIDDLE** L-R Yvette Soro, , Joanna Guray, Heada Bizehic, Thereasa Franco, , Sarah Lozado, Mr. Openden

**BOTTOM** L-R Angela Russo, Enid Lopez, Barbra Wetti, Vincent Maglia, Kevin Anetino, Wanda Santiago



## Girl's Athletic Teams





# Congratulations





# January Graduates







## The Senior Trip











In memory of Richard Sanders "Doc"  
Assistant Principal Physical Educa-  
tion.



### Richard "Doc" Sanders

Lehman High School lost a friend in the untimely death of Richard "Doc" Sanders on Sunday September 7, 1980; just one day before the start of the new term. Even as he lay in the hospital in his last days, he was concerned with what was going on in Lehman. He called school two days before he died, to find out how the hospitalized parent of one of the teachers was doing. That's a friend.

On this summer vacation, though feeling ill, he fulfilled his military obligation for two weeks in August, as a Lieutenant Colonel in the Army Reserve College in Pennsylvania. Mr. Sanders reputation for motivating learning was wide spread. He was requested by various military schools to demonstrate his teaching techniques, and methodology. He loved teaching, and he loved his students.

Why was Mr. Sanders twice honored as PSAL coach of the year when he coached basketball at Brandeis High School? Simple! He was a masterful teacher and he demanded very high standard. He stressed being prepared and brought excitement and enthusiasm into the class-

room that was catching.

Mr. Sanders was very proud of Lehman. He demonstrated his pride and loyalty to Lehman in many ways. He attended countless extracurricular activities, games, shows, musicales, concerts and was Lehman's #1 cheerleader and fan. He was happy whenever his coaches had a victory and consoled the players after a rough game. He shared the pride of the teams who won championships and medals. When Lehman won, he wore the greatest medal of all, his smile.

Much more could be said about the man who entered the lives of everyone here at Lehman, but for now let us pray that his spirit will continue to pervade the halls of our school. Perhaps when you think you've heard someone say, "Set to class", or "Whose covering the locker room", or "Why don't you take up jogging", or "Go get 'em tiger!", you'll raise your fingers to your brow in a salute, and say, "O.K. Doc".

Joe Levine — Health Education





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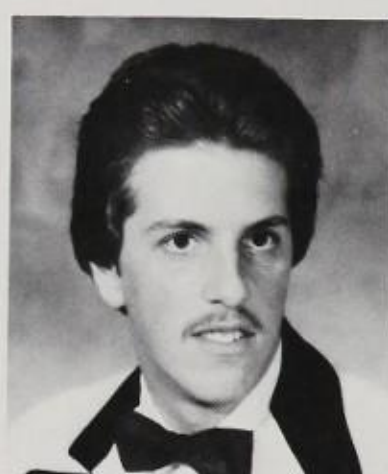
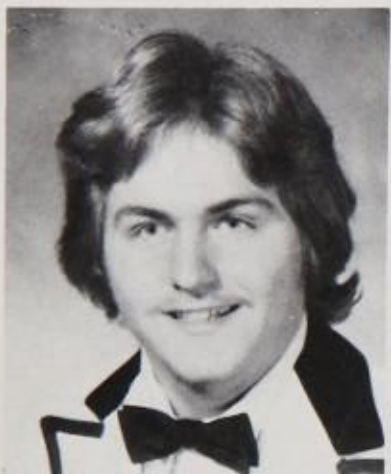
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Graduates







Abreu, Henny  
X-Country and Track & Field  
Captain, Future Computer  
Technician

Alicea, Eric  
Weight Lifting, Football,  
College for Business Law

Almodovar, David

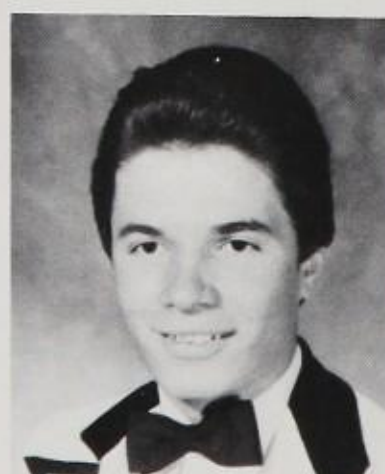
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Alston, Ernest

Alvino, Mary Ellen

Anastasio, Kenneth  
Jazz Band, Symphony Orches-  
tra, College — Chemical Anal-  
ysis



Anderson, Pamela

Angelillo, Pamela  
Roller Skating, Tennis, Legal  
Secretary

Apuzzo, Franco

Aragona, Mario  
College for Computer Sci-  
ences

Arbolino, Patricia

Aromi, Anthony  
Basketball Team, "Tony",  
Baseball, Football, Hospital  
Work

Assalone, Domenick

Augello, Lynn  
Yearbook Staff, College





Avellino, Dominic  
Baseball, Music, "Never say  
die", Navy, Mechanical Engi-  
neer

Ayala, Desiree  
Honor Society, Yearbook Staff  
Editor, Roller Skating, College

Ayala, Jose  
X-Country & Track, Co-Captain  
of Track Team, "Ziggy", Future  
Lawyer

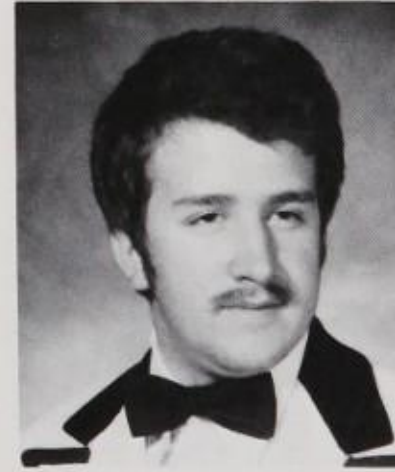
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Balsamello, Donna  
College, Work

Bancks, Lisa  
Science Club President,  
S.O.G., Honor Society

Barker, Scott

Barrella, Anthony  
Baseball



Bauss, Bernice  
"Berni", "The test of courage  
is not to die, but to live" ...  
Psychology

Bazylak, Lisa  
Aquarius

Belfiore, Judy  
Paddleball, "Don't give up, you  
can do it", Medical Secretary

Bell, Richard  
Yearbook Staff, Photographer,  
"TNVAC 603", Future Printer

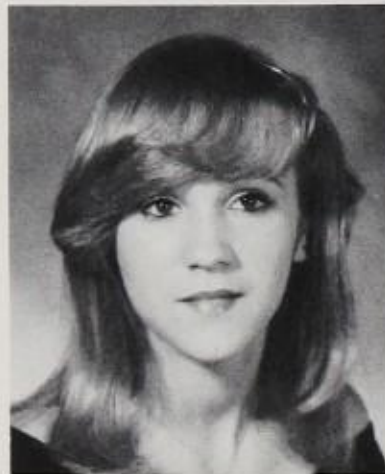
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Honor Society, Sports, Guitar,  
Psychology

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CO-OP, Bowling, Parties, Bran-  
don & Irene, "Snowy", College

Blackman, Susan  
"Tootie", Binghamton College,  
Capricorn

Bertoncin, Richard  
College





Blake, Denise  
Reading, Crocheting, "Niecy",  
College

Blazevic, Maria  
"Blaze", Business College,  
Work

Bodoy, Yvonne  
As we advance in life we learn  
the limits of our abilities

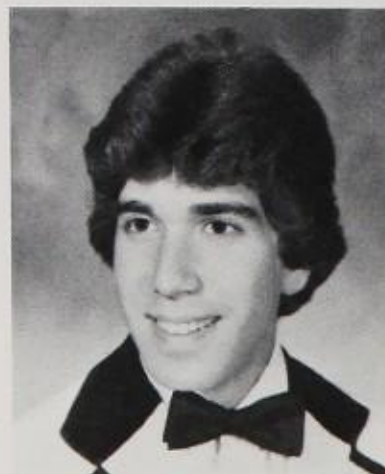
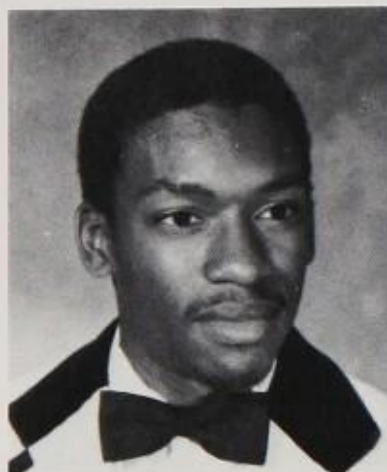
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Roller Skating, Toddy

Bonilla, Roberta  
Baseball, Bowling

Boyd, Mary  
Accounting to be a C.P.A.

Boyle, Barbara  
"Life isn't always fair . . .",  
College, Work, Swimming

Boyle, Sarah  
"Sally"



Bradley, Jeff  
Track & Field, Bowling, Roller  
Skating, College

Britt, Lori  
Dancing, Paddleball, Modeling,  
Nurse

Brown, Sharon

Brumley, Carol  
Softball, Music, "Brum",  
College, Pisces

Buontempo, Elena  
Tennis, Singing, Dancing, Ex-  
ecutive, Secretary

Burgos, Maribel  
Cheerleading, Drama Club  
President, Business Law,  
Track

Cafaro, Angelo  
"The Gang", Libra, Computer  
Programmer or Accountant

Cahill, John  
Wrestling Team, Drawing,  
Make College Sports Teams





Cales, Michael  
Baseball, Football, Marine  
Corps, College

Callado, Maria

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S.O.G., Volleyball, Photogra-  
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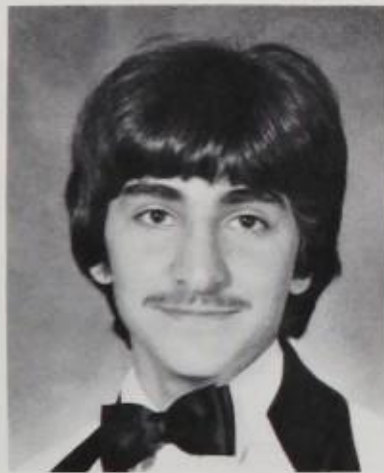
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Basketball, Gymnastics, Skat-  
ing, College

Campos, Louis  
Newspaper, Football Team,  
"No Neck", Musician

Capelli, Maria  
Flight Attendant

Capizzuto, Gary E.  
Drummers Make Better Lovers,  
"Cap", Musician



Caputo, John  
Soccer, Baseball, Jeweler

Carbone, Marta R.  
Cheerleader, Secretary, Tau-  
rus

Cardona, Juan  
Varsity Football, Bodybuilding,  
"John", College

Carrasquillo, Luis  
Collect Baseball Cards, Mr.  
Islander, College

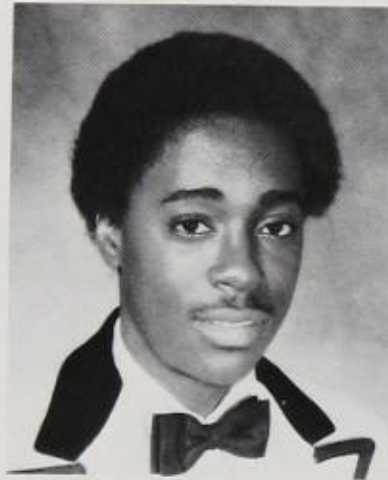
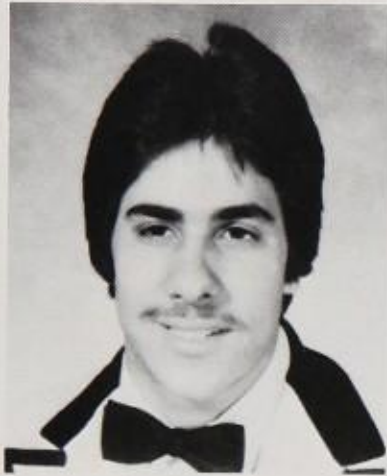
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Capricorn

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Photography, College

Castellina, John





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Arista Honor Society, Tennis,  
College — Doctor

Cawley, Daniel

Cepeda, Iris  
Paddleball, "A life well lived is  
the best revenge."

Ceragioli, Michael  
Wrestling, "Cherry", College

Cerniglia, Angelo  
Bronx Cowboys, Wrestling,  
Hunting, Trade — Heating

Chambliss, Marshall A.  
Jazz band, Football, Rainbow,  
College

Chen, Scott  
Biking, Baseball, Electrical En-  
gineer

Chiodi, Kathy  
Dance, Leo, College

Ciavarello, Lillian  
"Lil", Secretary

Cimino, Lori  
Singer, Actress

Cipollone, Antonio

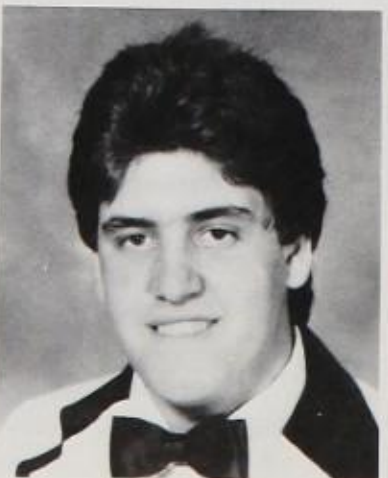
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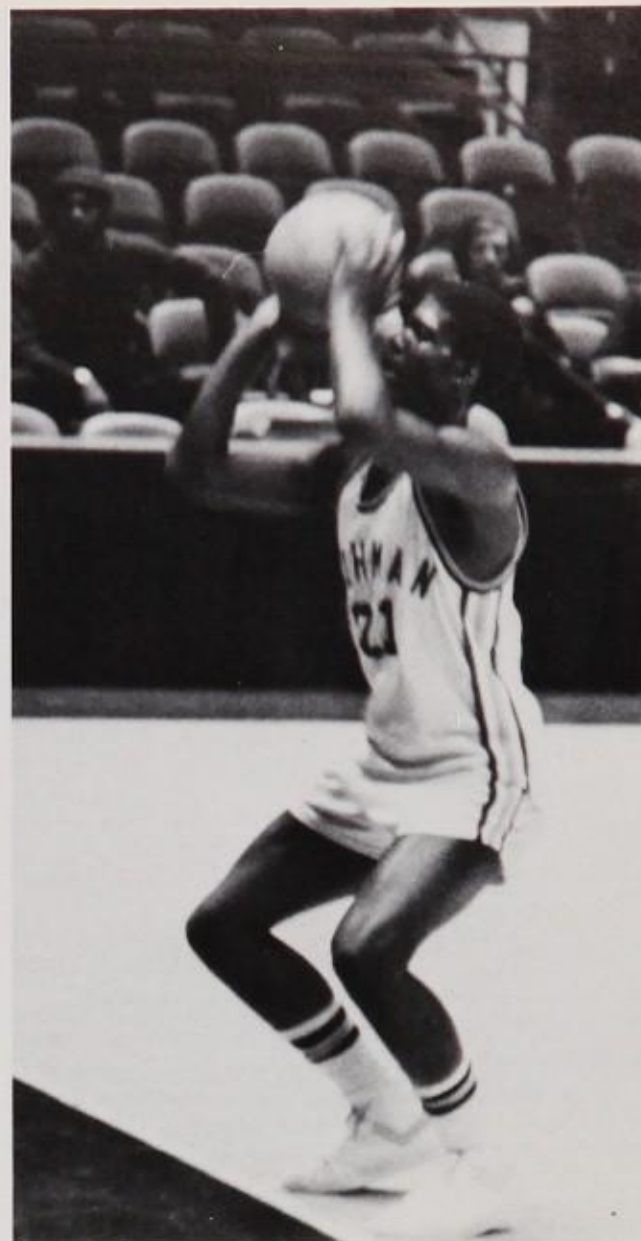
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Claudio, Sofia  
Tennis, Bank Teller, Secretary

Clayton, Marie  
Cheerleader, Sailing, Skiing,  
"Shorty", Leo, Model







Cocharelli, Valerie  
Dance, College — I.B.M., Capricorn

Colello, John

Coleman, Madelaine

Costanzo, Maryann

Coles, Paulette  
Basketball, Handball, Baseball, Sewing, Model, Work

Collazo, Angel  
Football Team, Photography, College

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All Sports, Writing, Libra

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Traveling, Visiting, "Tresa", College, Leo

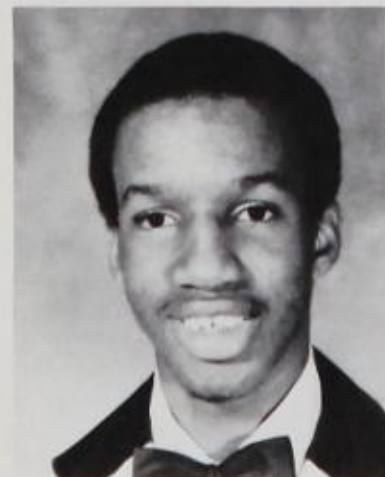
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Paddleball, Bowling, For Sure

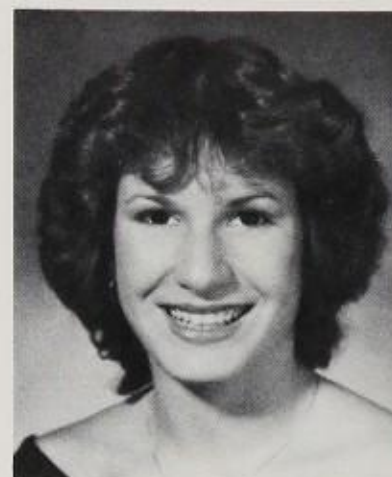
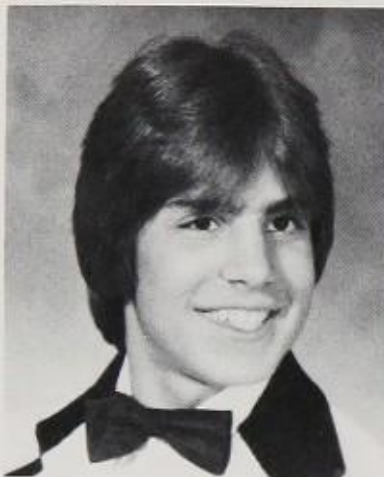
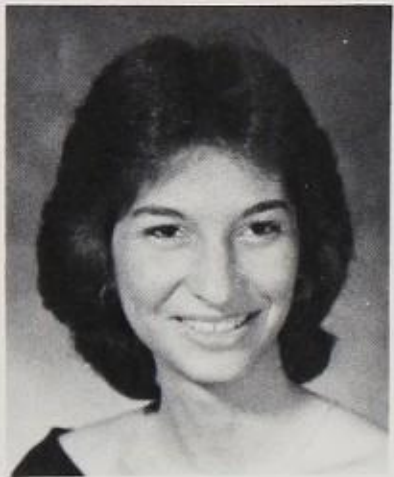
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Basketball, reading, "Dr. Dunk", College

Crespo, Marisol  
Student Organization, Paddleball, Softball, College — Accountant



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Crompton, Irene

Cruz, Elizabeth  
"There are good times and bad times but memories last forever"

Cruz, Sandra  
Handball, Basketball, Family, Work in Aviation

Cunningham, Steven  
Basketball, Motorcycles, Girls, "And you know that", College

Cuzzi, Anna

Czubak, Dwayne  
Newspaper, Track Team, College, Disco

Daly, Doreen  
S.O.G., Softball

D'Amato, Bethrose  
"Tweety", Leo, College — Law

Dancy, Lisa  
Track Team, Dancing, Acting, Writing, Broadcast Journalism

Daniels, Jennifer  
"Jenny", Bowling, Reading, Social Worker

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Bowling, Baseball, "Ginnie"

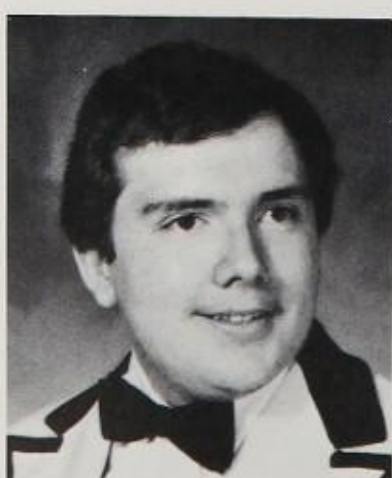
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Davy, Astley B.  
Fencing, Electrical Engineer or Communications

Deans, Gloria M.

DeBonis, William  
Outdoors Club, Hiking, Dirt Biking, "Bronce", Marine Corp

DeGennaro, Eva







DeGrazia, Annette  
Go To Hell, RN\*nurse,  
"Wacky", SETH Program



De Jesus, Gilbert  
Swimming, Handball, Paddle-  
ball, Navy, Computer Program-  
mer



Delaney, Linda  
Cheerleading, Success, Boys,  
"Richie"

Della Salle, Lisa  
"Lee", Aquarius, "Johnny's  
Girl" — 9/4/78

DeRosa, Laurie

Del Prete, Donna

Dewitt, Stephanie

DePasquale, Silvana  
Paddleball, Aquarius, College,  
Yearbook

Diaz, Jacqueline  
I made it!, Paddleball, Swim-  
ming, Secretary

Diaz, Lillian  
Baseball, Basketball, Lilly, lil-  
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M.A.C. President, Track, Kara-  
te, Boxing, College — C.P.A.

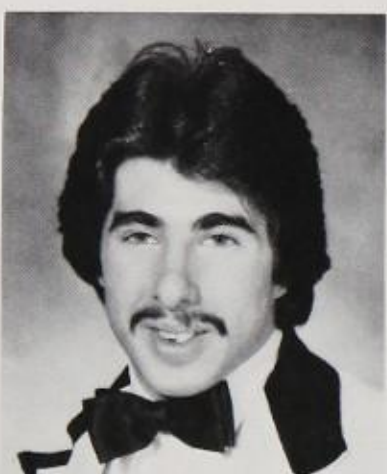
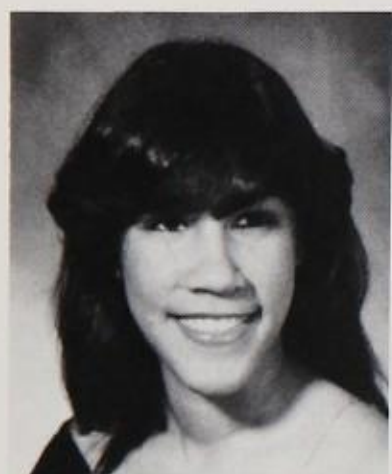
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Guitar, Writing, College



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DiMeglio, Josephine

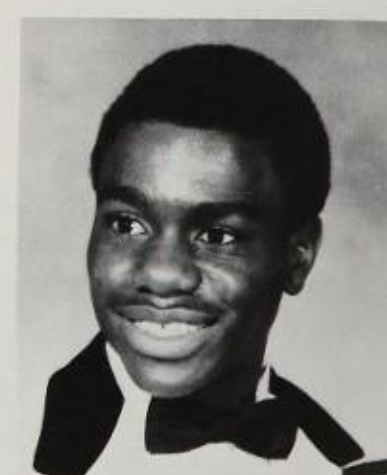
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Jogging

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Secretary, Photography

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Boxing, Wright Training,  
"Speedy", Hunting, Diving

Donoghue, Patricia

Dorrie, Donna



Durand, Monica

Durham, Robin  
Going out, Make Money

Echevarria, Elizabeth

Ellison, Vance  
Basketball Team, Roller Skat-  
ing, College — Lawyer

Emptage, Linda M.  
Track, Basketball, Tennis,  
"Slim," Collecting Records,  
College

Engeldrum, Don  
Hunting, Working on Cars, "En-  
gelhook", Own a Business

Englert, John  
Carpenter

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Dancing, Cosmetology, Sagit-  
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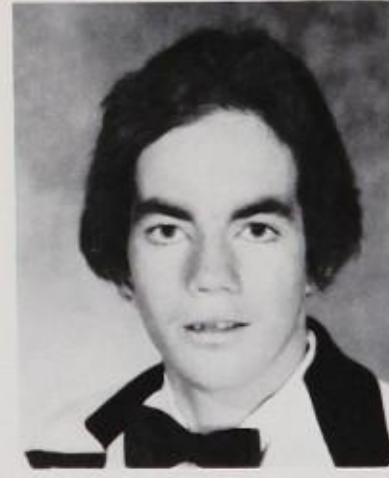
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"Rock & Roll Forever", Padd-  
leball, Softball, College

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Ferranti, Teresa

Ferreras, Daniel T.  
Pres. of Student Organization,  
College



Figueroa, George  
Music, Drawing, College —  
Aviation

Finnin, George

Fiorillo, Renee

Fitzpatrick, Raymond

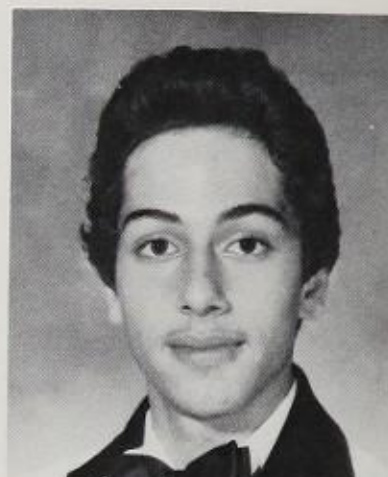
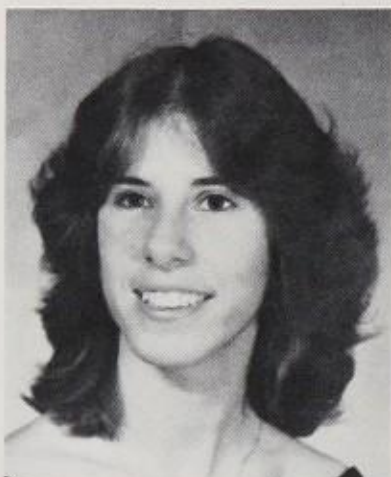
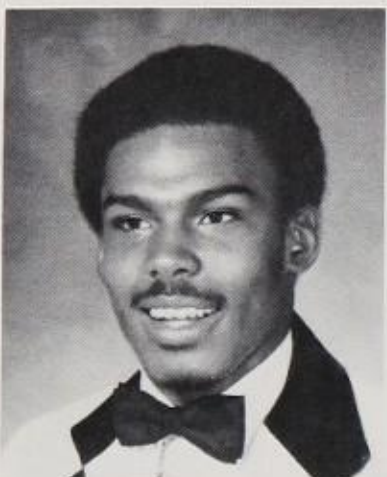
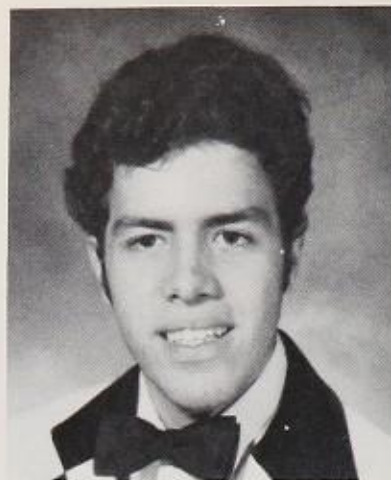
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Paddleball, Softball, Horse-  
back Riding, Staining Glass

Flores, Henri J.  
Swimming, Hiking, Drawing,  
"Jay", Just bel, College — Vi-  
sual Arts

Floris, Carol Ann  
Tennis, Jogging, Swimming,  
"BB", Court Stenographer

Floris, Toni Ann





Foley, Susan

Folkes, Lance

Font, Carlos

Formisano, Barbara

Formisano, Rita

Fowler, Keith

Frances, Lisa

Franchilli, Nicholas

Varsity Football, Basketball,  
Bowling, Electrical Engineer

Honor Society, Jogging, Base-  
ball, Soccer, Drawing, Fishing



Frangella, Natalina  
Medical Assistant, College —  
Nurse

Frobose, Denise  
Sagittarius

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Garay, Joanna  
Co-Captain, Softball,  
MVP\* Volleyball, "Frenchie",  
X-Ray Tech.

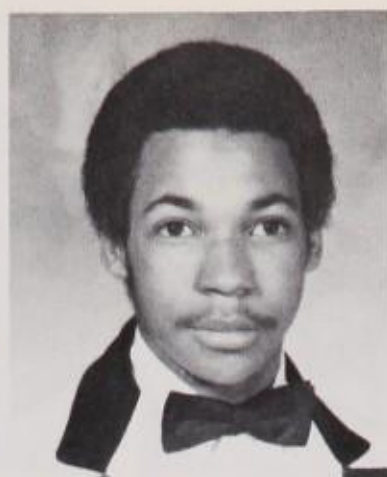
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Dancing, Swimming, Typing,  
Tennis, Handball, Social Work-  
er

Garcia, Madeline  
Baseball, Volleyball, Tennis,  
Dancing, College — Doctor

Gardner, Ingrid

Gargiulo, Maria C.  
Cancer, Yes, Pink Floyd, Pho-  
tography, Biking, X-Ray Tech.





Garofalo, Susan  
Horseback riding, Word Processor, Travel, Marriage

Gibson, Richard  
Electronics Technician

Gerritsen, George  
College

Giordano, Maggie

Gibbs, Gregory  
Baseball, Rollerskating, Photography, College, Aquarius

Giordano, Mary Ann  
Counselor Rehabilitation

Gibson, Kevin  
Varsity Basketball, Gettin' Zooty, College — Work

Giovachino, Roseanne  
Flute, Photography, College — Nursing, Gemini



Gloria, Carolyn  
Co-Op, Swimming, Bowling, Secretary, "Candy"

Golia, Anthony  
Baseball, Football, Basketball

Gomez, Adrienne  
Field Hockey, Softball, Needle Point, Singer or Dancer

Gomez, Yvelisse  
Honor Society, S.O.G., Science Club, College — Medicine, Teacher

Gonzales, Aleida  
SETH Program 80-81, Handball, Paddleball, College, Armed Forces

Gonzalez, Delila

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Gonzalez, Jannette





Gonzalez, Nilda



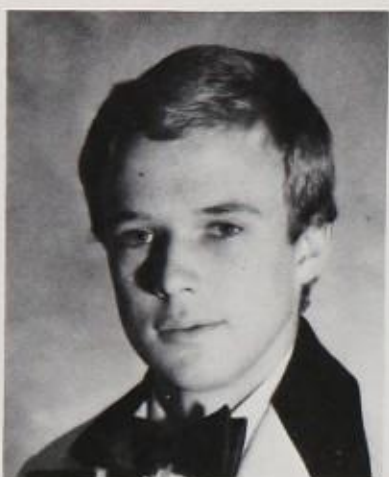
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Tennis Club, Drama Club, Bowl-  
ing, Rollerskating, Berkeley



Graiani, Kevin  
Careful with that axe, Eugene.,  
Guitar



Ganieri, Steven  
Softball, Bike Riding, CB Ra-  
dio, Vocational Training



Grant, Crystal  
Cheerleader, Swimmer, Bowl-  
ing, Business Administrator



Greaves, Richard



Green, Joseph

Green, Judith  
Bio-Med Program, Paddleball,  
Computer Program

Green, Lori  
Drama, Chorus, Decorating,  
College — Drama, Singing

Green, Pearline  
Volleyball, Handball, "Pearl",  
Stenographer

Green, Rita  
Tennis, Handball, "smilie",  
Business Administrator

Grieco, Angela  
Gymnastics, Drawing, Sketch-  
ing, Poem, Writing

Grillo, Chris

Grindall, Judy  
Model, Business College

Guanill, Ireilis







Guerra, Michael  
College — Engineer



Hacker, LoriAnne  
Yearbook Staff, Drama,  
Tennis, Art, College



Hall, Lorraine  
"Lo Mein", Basketball, Volley-  
ball, Softball, College



Hall, Marc  
Basketball, College



Hamaker, Danielle  
"dani", Disco Roller Skating,  
College



Hancock, Yvette  
Paddleball, Dancing, Swim-  
ming, "B-Bett", College —  
Lawyer

Hardy, Alicia  
Volleyball, Tennis, Ice Skating,  
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Hardy, Karen  
Volleyball, Executive Secre-  
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College — Computer Engineer

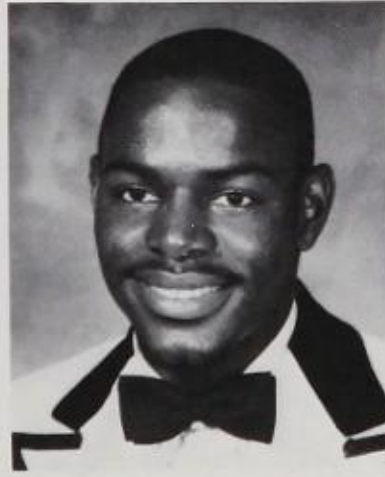
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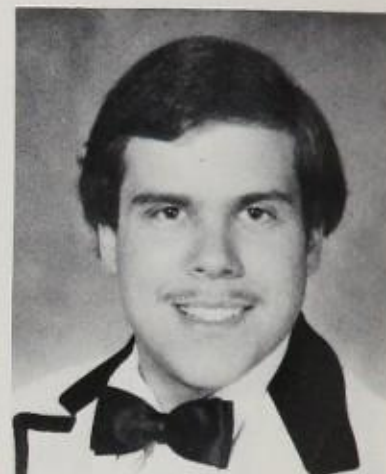
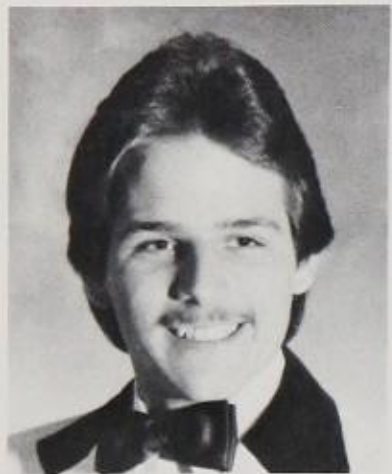
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lege — Accountant Science

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Boating, Fishing, Football,  
South Hampton College

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Heaphy, Joan  
Social Worker

Heckman, Dorothy  
Symphony Orchestra, Guitar,  
Beatles, College — Registered Nurse

Hernandez, Raul J.  
Football, Wrestling, Basketball, Paddleball, Businessman

Hickey, Judith  
John Jay Criminal Justice College

Hieber, Eric  
Oil Painting, Jogging, Weight Lifting, "Perry", Business

Hoehn, Debbie  
Rollerskating, "Debbie", College — Special Education Teacher

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Baseball, Cars, Policeman, Make the Best of It.

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Science Club, College

Howard, Reginald

Hughes, Robert

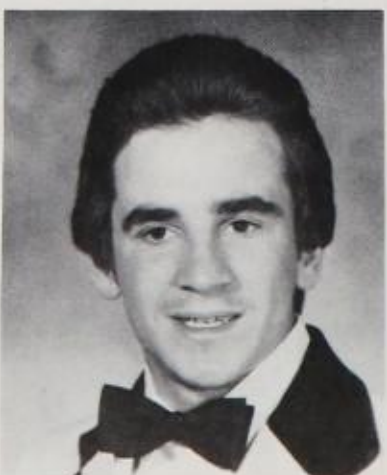
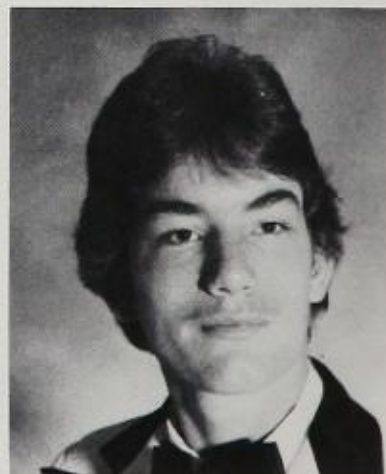
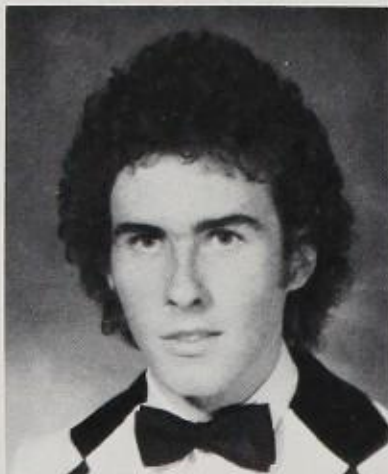
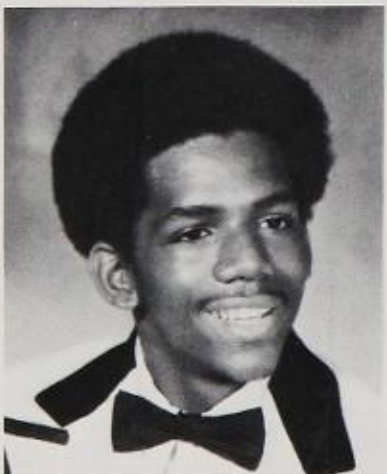
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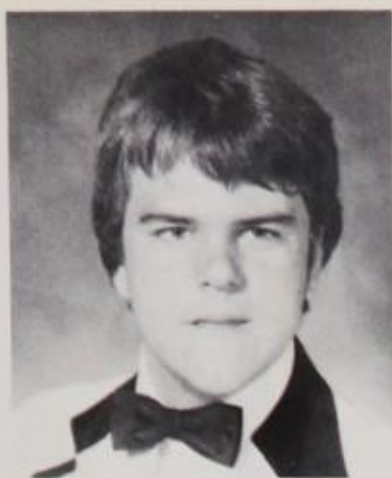
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Lehman Bowling Team Lawyer  
Scorpio

Johnson, Paul  
Bowling, Gymnastics, Pinball,  
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Jones, Trini

Kasabalis, James



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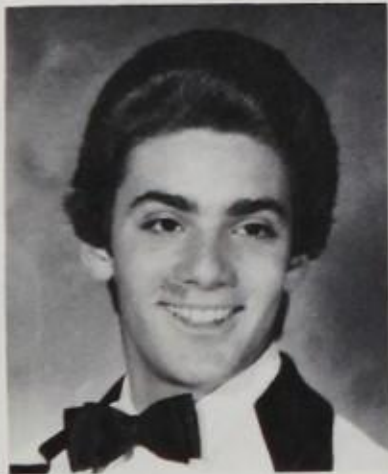
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Football, Wrestling, Photogra-  
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Basketball, College

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Tennis, Volleyball, Music,  
Dancing, "Nikki", College

Kelly, Mary  
Volleyball, Softball, Tennis,  
Policewoman, Law Enforce-  
ment, Gemini

Kares, Ruthie  
Program Office, Swimming,  
Gymnastics, Jogging, Read  
Books, "Bunch", Wife  
Kimble, Diane  
Paddle Ball, Ice Skating,  
"Shorty", College Psycholo-  
gist







Kirkwood, William



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— Business



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Symphony Orchestra, Beatles,  
College



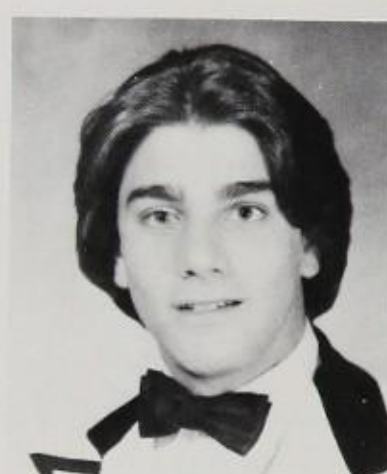
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Honor Society, S.O.G.,  
Science Club, Math Team



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La Marca, Benny



Lana, Louise A.



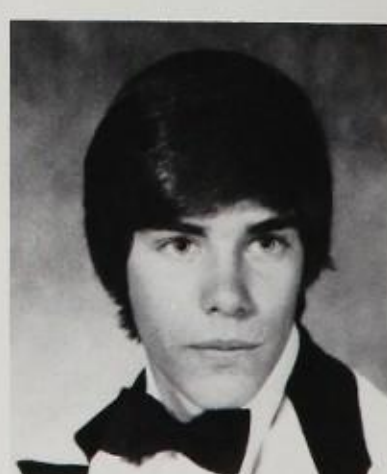
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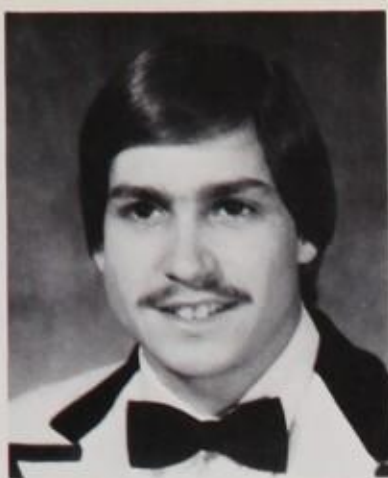


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Football, Skiing, Mechanical  
Engineer



Leigh, Andrew  
Captain of Soccer, Tennis,  
Photography





Leone, Michael  
Baseball Team, Sports



Levy, Harold  
Captain of Football Team



Lewis, Jephtha  
Journalism, Baseball, Soccer,  
College — Journalist



Lewis, Maxine  
Honor Society, Yearbook, Ten-  
nis Team, Psychologist



Lichieh, Fan



Lichtenberger, Karen  
Paddleball, Tennis, Swimming,  
Drawing



Linnane, Tommy  
"Tommy", College — Archi-  
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Gymnastics, Swimming, Music,  
"Fran", Business



Locke, Debbi



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Lombardi, Kathie



Lopez, Monica



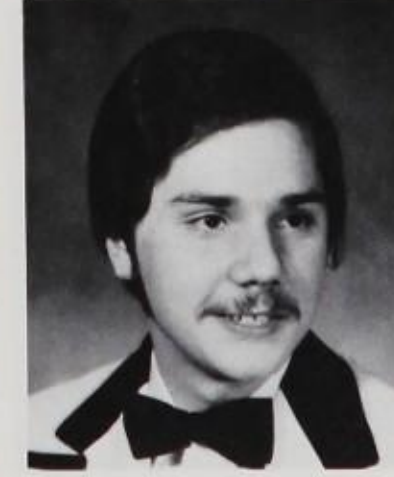
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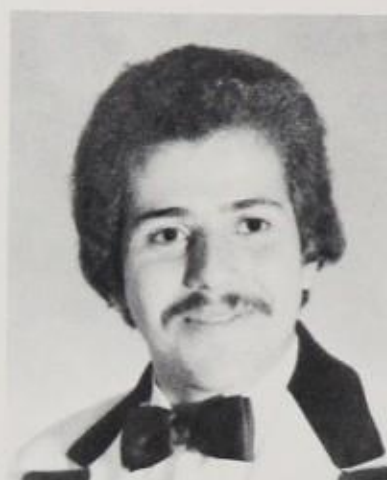


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Bowling, Fishing, Swimming,  
Accountant





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Scouts, Drama, Crochet, Danc-  
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Photography

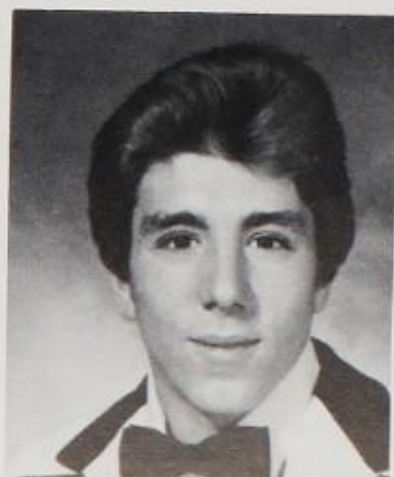
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Libra

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Girls' Chorus, Handball, Padd-  
leball, College — Advertising



Masella, Anthony

Massey, Johanna  
S.O.G., Volleyball, Concert  
Band, College — Business

Matera, Delfina  
Drama Club, Tennis, "Nina",  
Computer Programmer

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Basketball, Softball, Skiing,  
Flight Attendent

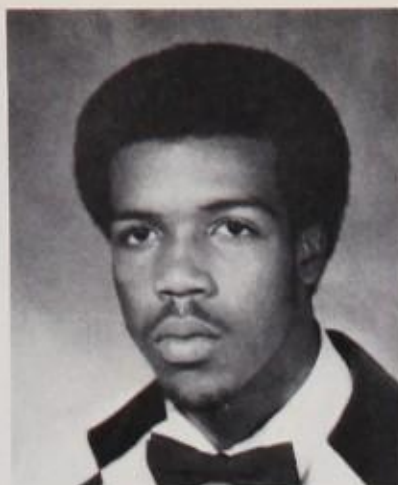
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Fishing, Water Skiing, Hunting,  
College

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McCarthy, Edward



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Swimming, Woodworking,  
Work



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"Capricorn", Job



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Yearbook Staff, "Smiley",  
Ain't no thang, College



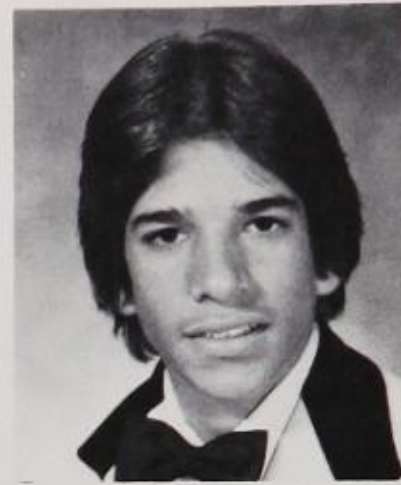
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Dance Club, Leo, "Dizzy Dee",  
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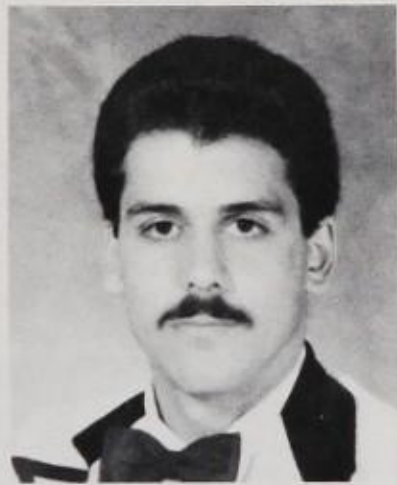
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Bowling, Tennis, Slimnastics,  
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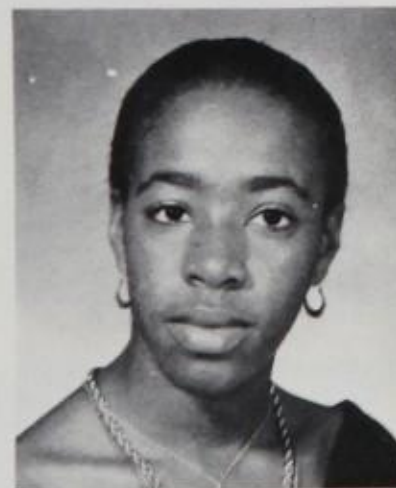
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College — Accounting



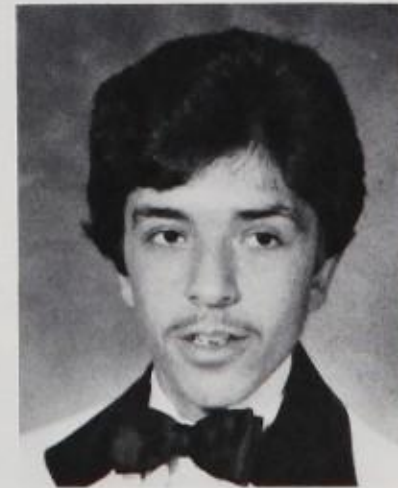
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Paddle Ball, Softball, Trompet,  
Accountant



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Sports, Work





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Mills, Germaine



Mitchell, Denis  
Astronomy, "Rev. Ike", Architecture



Montengro, Virginia  
Paddleball, Swimming, Yearbook Staff, College



Mercedes Morales, Newspaper Staff, College

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Football, Money

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Track Team, Jogging, Baseball, Pisces, College — Law

Mosley, Gary

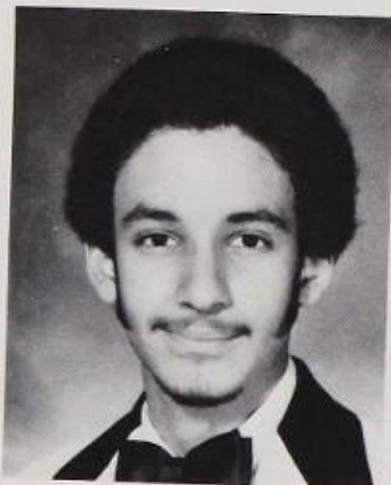
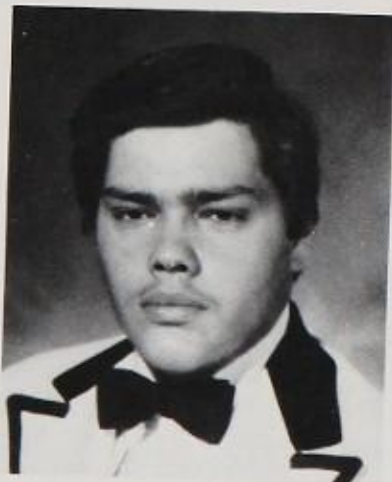
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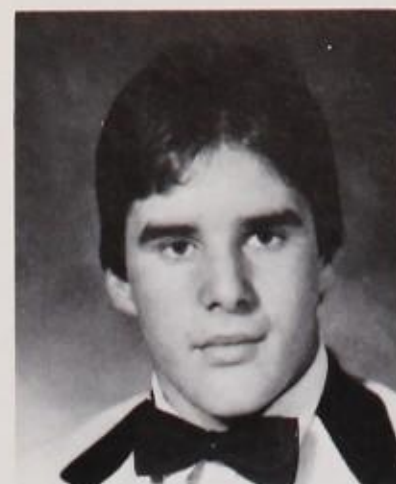
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Dancing, Jogging, Biking, College



Nicholas, Cathy



Nickoletos, George  
Football Team



Nicoletti, Patricia



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"Liz", Let your illusions last until they shatter . . .



Oddo, Maria



Oddo, Mariann

Oliveras, Daisy  
Baseball, Jogging, Dancing, Outdoors, Secretary

O'Sullivan, Michael  
Soccer Team

O'Neill, Joseph  
Guitar, College

Pacheco, Jimmy  
Basketball, Baseball, College

Orizal, Raymond  
Baseball

Paese, Theresa  
Senior Class Secretary, Honor Society, Engineer

Ortiz, Theresa  
Bowling, Rollerskating, "Terry", Virgo

Pagano, Mark







Pantoja, Orlando  
The Great White Puerto Rican

Paolo, Angela  
Symphony Orchestra, Dancing,  
Jogging, College, Pisces

Paolo, Margherita  
Symphony Orchestra, Dancing,  
Pisces, College

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Horseback Riding, Jogging,  
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Jogging, Boxing, Racquet Ball,  
Football

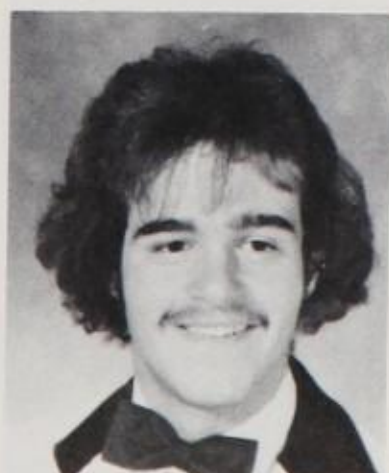
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Team, S.O.G.

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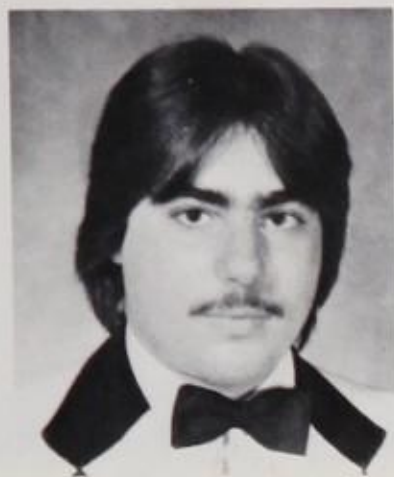
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Swimming, Jogging, Paddle  
Ball, Work

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Basketball, Track, Cancer

Parks, Dora  
Perez, Nancy  
Swimming, Paddle Ball,  
Sketching, Hairstyling







Perri, Lisa  
Bowling, Rollerskating, School  
— Secretary

Pesce, Cathy  
Cheerleading, Libra, College  
— Architecture

Petrus, Sandra  
Year Book Staff, Dancing,  
Reading, Music, Lawyer

Picarello, Thomas  
Baseball, Football, Softball,  
"Tommy", Business

Pipolo, Guy

Pisaniello, Steven

Pisano, Frank

Piscitelli, Steven  
Jogging, Millionaire

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Paddle Ball, Baseball, Orches-  
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Powers, Kathleen  
"Live, Love, Laugh", Aquarius,  
Secretary

Pozzuto, Donato

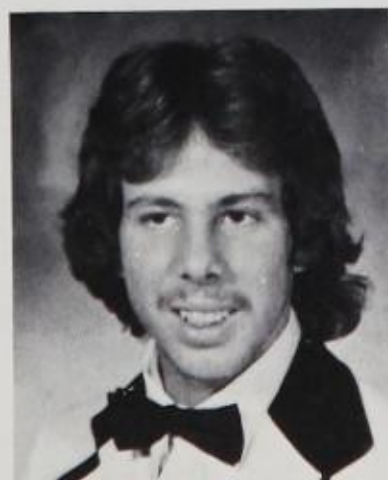
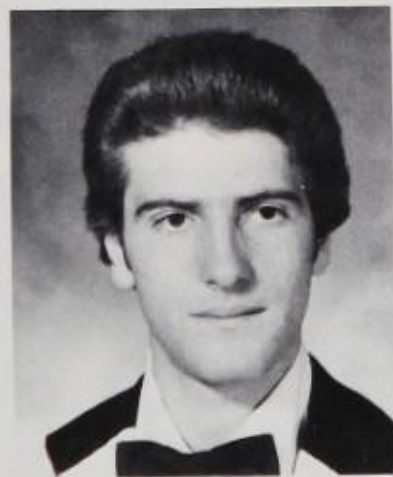
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Paddleball, Auto-Mechanic

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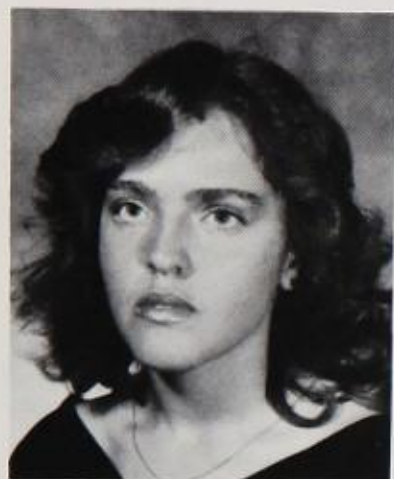
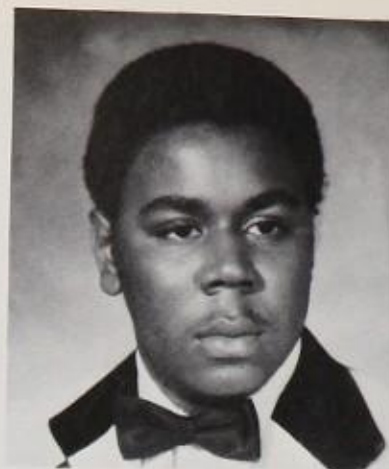
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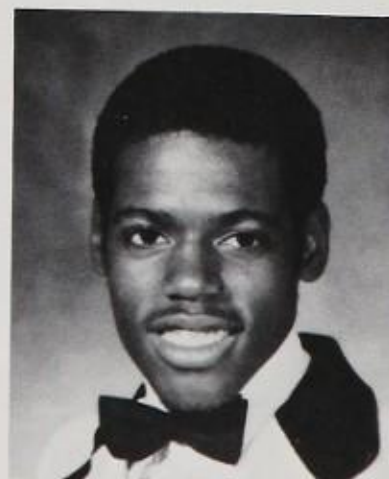
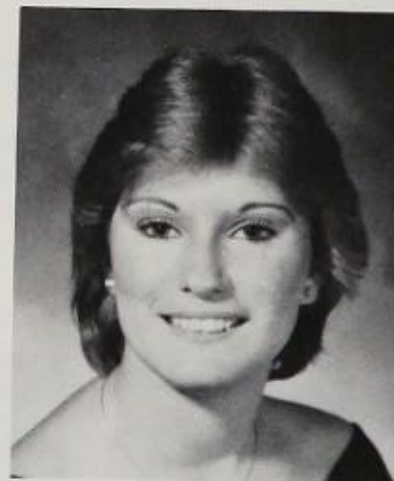
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Secretary

Ramos Carmen E.  
Libra, College — Police Wo-  
man

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Paddle Ball, Jogging, Leo,  
Coast Guard

Ramos Rodney  
Basketball, Art, "Tee", Marine

Ramos Steven  
Roller Skating, Tropical Fish,  
"Stevie", Business School



Ramos Susan  
Horsebackriding, Rollerskat-  
ing, Biking, Secretary

Rampolla Valerie  
Art, Sagittarius, Executive  
Secretary

Regina Josephine  
Paddleball, "Jo", Virgo, Sec-  
retary

Repak Mary  
Paddleball, "Mousie", Saggit-  
tarius, Nurse

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Reyes Nestor  
Football, Basketball

Ricci Renee



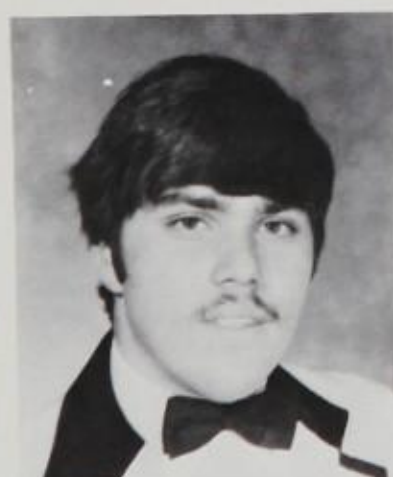


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Football, Baseball, Soccer,  
Camping, Hiking, Accounting  
Rivera David  
Baseball, U.S. Marines

Richardson Gary  
Track and Field, Basketball,  
Dancing, Pediatrician  
Rivera Maribel  
Handball, Slimnastics, Interna-  
tional Agency

Riley George J.  
Bowling, Pinball, Leo, Pro  
Bowler  
Rivera Marilyn  
Dance Club, Rollerskating,  
Paddle Ball, College

Rivera Brunilda  
Track Team, Dancing, College  
Rivera Nelson  
Baseball, Marines



Rivera Yvette  
Dance, "Evy", College

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Baseball, Basketball, Football,  
College

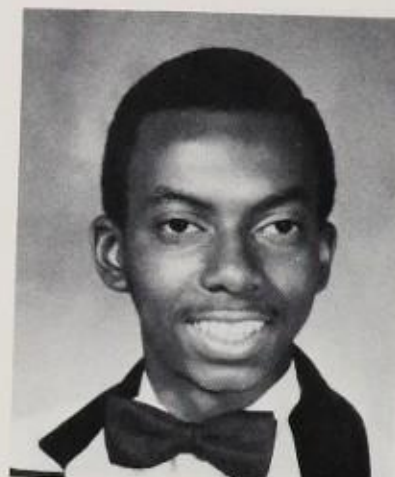
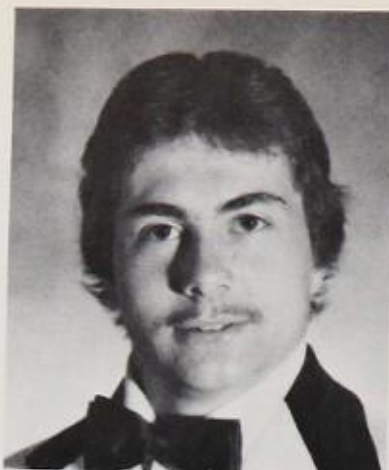
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Lawyer

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College — Pre Med.

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chelle", College

Rodriguez Roselyn  
Arista, Honor Society





Rodriguez Steven  
Football Team, College

Rosa Evelyn

Roggina Rosanne  
Horseback Riding, Tennis,  
Reading, Work

Rosado Camille

Romano Frank

Ross Rochelle  
Music, Dancing, Rollerskate,  
College

Rondon Angel M.  
Varsity Football, Wrestling,  
Work

Rowell Leonard  
Basketball, Baseball, Swim-  
ming, College



Ruggiero Trish  
Aquarius

Ruiz Henry Jr.  
College

Russo Ann  
Pisces

Ruzzo Donna  
Musci, Gemini, "Baa"

Rydquist Joan  
Swimming, Biking, Cruise Di-  
rector

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Work

Santiago Maritza  
Dancing, Acting, College



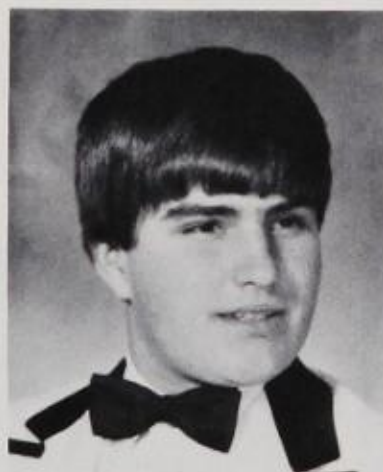


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Volleyball, Handball, Paddle-  
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Scales Lorenzo  
Dance, Tennis, Nursing

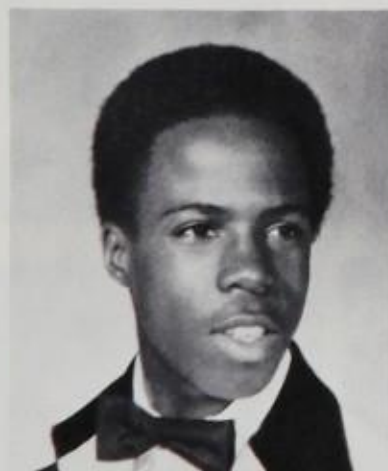
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College — Accounting  
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Football, College

Saunders Valeria  
Scott Yvette  
Basketball, Tennis, Handball,  
College



Singleton Maryann  
Basketball, Handball, Air Force



Shepard Linda  
Basketball, Paddleball, Key  
Punch Operator  
Smith Crystal  
Track, Cheerleading, Dance

Sibrizzi Robert  
Piano, "Elton"  
Smith Kevin  
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"Wally", College  
Smith Kristin  
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College







Sofia Laura



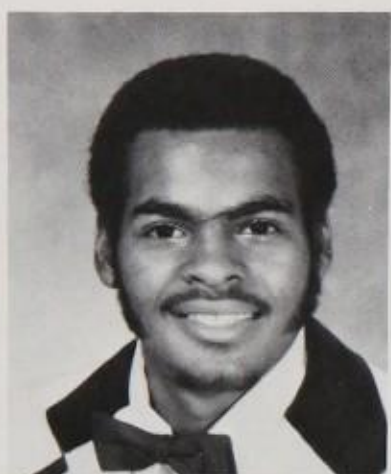
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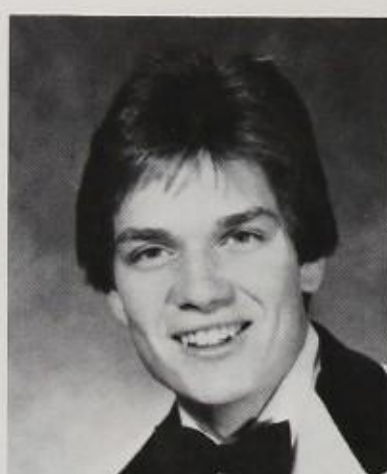
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Honor Society, Track Team,  
Teacher



Tate Lawrence  
Football, Baseball, Basketball,  
Electrician



Thompson Greg  
Football, Baseball, College —  
psychiatrist



Thrash Willie  
Guns, Flight Engineer



Tiso Luisa

Speranza Joseph  
Sports, Guitar, College

Stimmer Ida  
Scorpio, Fashion Model

Taylor Camilla  
College — Work

Spratley Melvina

Stockhausen John  
Bowling, Baseball, Electrician

Taylor Linda  
Handball, Volleyball, College  
— Business

Squitieri Tina  
Softball, Legal Secretary

Love Tracy Stuart  
Tennis, Dancing, Biking, Ex-  
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Testini Jo Anne

Torrella Louis





Torres Brigitte  
Swimming, Skateboarding, Air Force



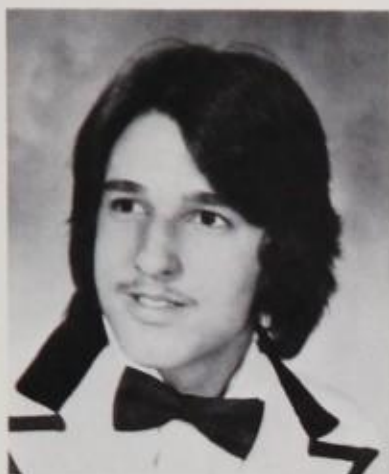
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Football, Baseball, College



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Dancing, Swimming, Music, College



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Bowling, College



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Vacca Lisa Anne  
Bowling

Valle Shirley M.  
College — Business Management



Turner Stacy



Uddin Zahir



Valenti Joseph  
Symphony Orchestra, College



Elizabeth Grace O'Brien  
1963-1981

Friends we are, friends we'll be  
Friends forever, you and me

I still have that saying Lizzie wrote it in my 8th grade graduation book. Friends forever — neither of us knew that her forever would only be four short years. But in those four years, Lizzie lived more than any of us will live in our entire lives. She was happy, bubbly, friendly — all a person could ask for. She had the very life that everyone wanted to have.

Though she is gone from this world, this earth, the memories and smiles she left behind will never be forgotten. We all loved her very much. Those who knew her gained many things. Those who did not can only hope to meet someone that will spread as much joy, fun and happiness as Elizabeth did.

Friends **forever**, you and me.

Barbara Netti





Vaughn Kim

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Paddleball, Swimming, Dancing, College — Accountant



Vanihel Martin  
Rock Musician

Varotta Salvatore  
Football, Baseball, Football, College



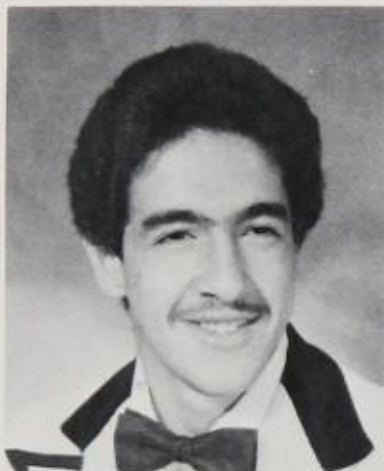
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Vasti Maria  
College



Vargas Wilma  
Singing, Drama, College

Vaughn Carl



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Computer Technology

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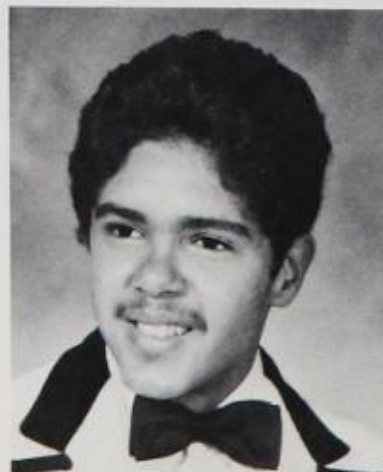
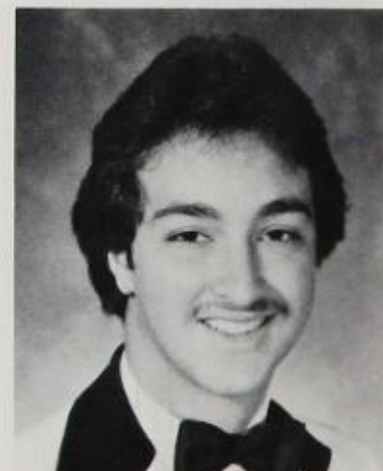
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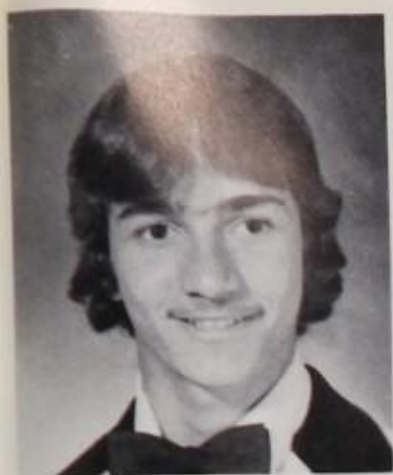


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1980-1981 was a year of change and growth for Lehman High School and for many of its students. We were dazzled in the field of drama; we were charmed with musicales, we were enriched with art; we were made proud by our teams' victories; and still we found time to welcome a new principal, who has proven to be a great asset to our school.

The graduating class of Lehman is proud and thankful to have received a meaningful education. We are confident that our teachers have properly prepared us for future challenges. We have been fortunate in cultivating strong and lasting friendships with many special people.

As graduates of Lehman, we will look back on our high school days as a time of learning and maturing as well as a period of carefree youth. We are departing not quite as young as when we began. We have gained the experience and skills to enable us to enter the world with a sense of pride in our accomplishments and with the spirit to make a worthwhile contribution in life.

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### These I Haved Loved

Henry Abreu — Cool spring water running down a mountain side.

Mary Boyd — Sticking to a diet.

Monica Callinan — "Tis not too late to seek a newer world."

James Chervoni — A "munchkin" surprise from Ms. Chase.

Dwayne Czubak — "To strive, to seek, to find and not to yield."

Doreen Daly — "I am a part of all that I have met."

Ingrid Gardner — The earthy fragrance of a forest.

Mary Ann Giordano — Sitting under a tree thinking about Life.

Yvelisse A. Gomez — The sister that I've never met.

Lorraine Hall — Dreams which keep the young alive and the old young.

Lee Haymon — Sailing in the warm winds of June.

Joan Heaphy — A smile from a grouchy person.

Bobby C. Kellett — Moments of Peach and Love

John Lacetti — The fragrance of a cool summer night.

Gloria Lazic — My new Buick Skylark.

Carl Lee — A soft bed after a hard football game.

Ivette Matos — A love song.

Dennis Mitchell — A glimpse of Saturn's rays through my telescope.

Mercedes Morales — Spending a day in the devotion to my friends.

Jeff Pardo — Reading a favorite book the second time around.

Valerie Rampolla — A rainbow in a cloudless sky.

Arlene Resto — Talking endlessly with my mother and sister.

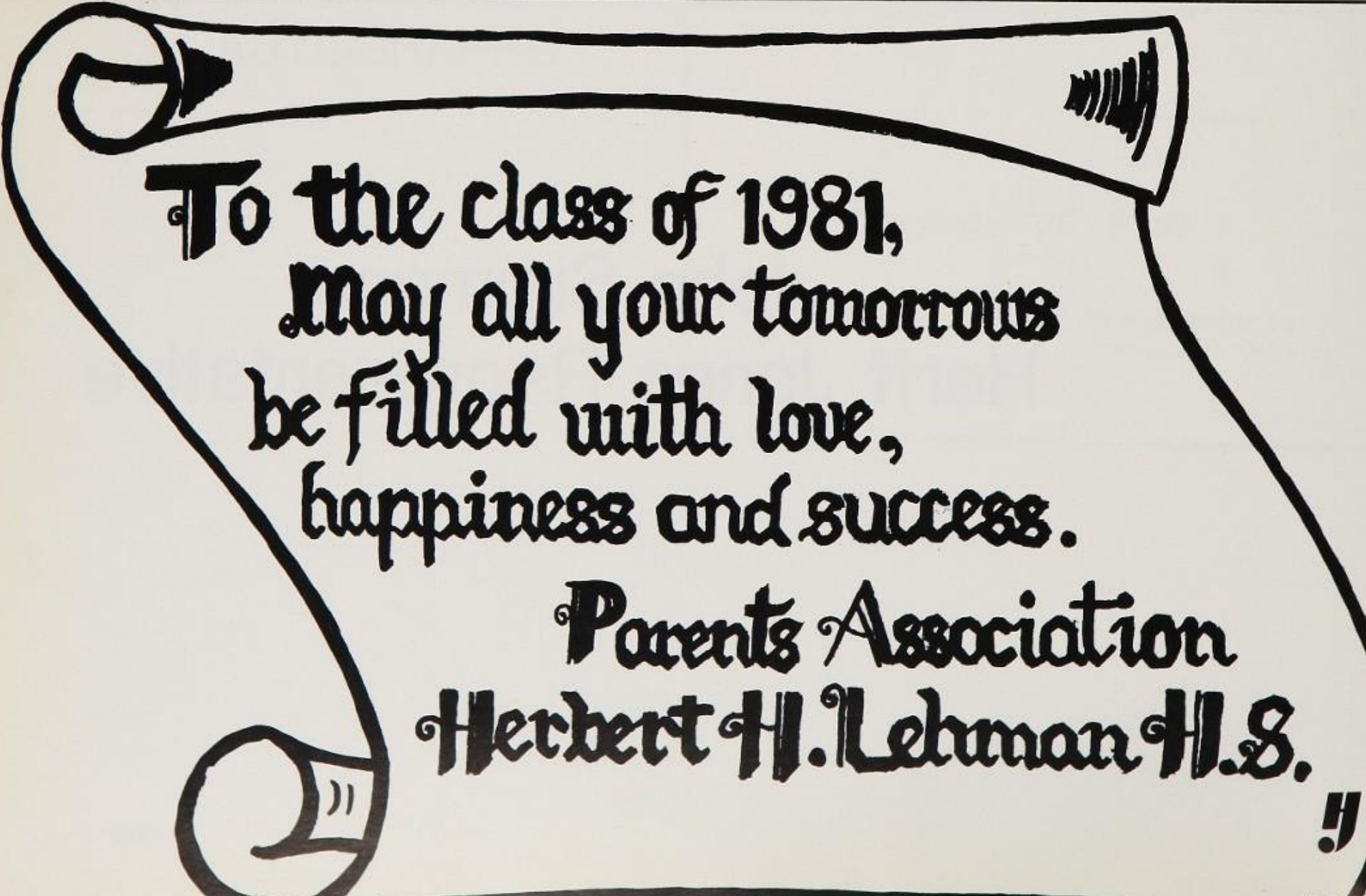
Luisa Tiso — The plush feel of velvet.

Daniel Trosa — Looking through my telescope on a starry night.

Shirley Valle — Making a hurting child feel better.

Karen Watson — The ability to love.

Cynthia Chase — Frequent visits from former students.



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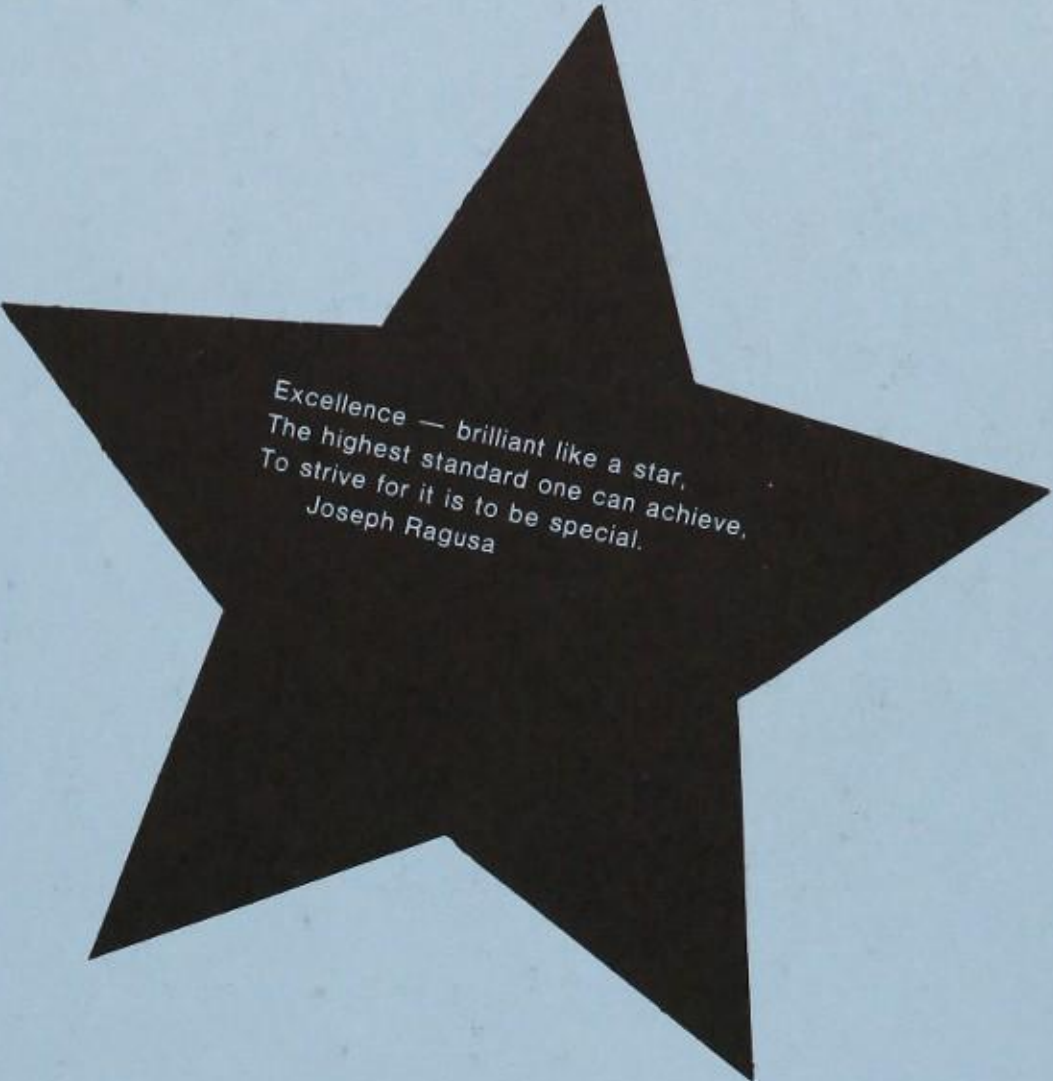













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